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## *Decade of time establishes traditions at Highland*

*In 1958, 130 bewildered sophomores unfurled their wings as they entered a new and modern structure . . . Highland High School. They began to establish scholastic standards, form organizations and show interest in athletics which aroused spirit throughout the student body, thus setting into motion many new innovations which became the framework for traditions at Highland High School. Ten years have passed and twenty-five hundred students have graduated, a myraid of fads have swept through the halls as the face of Highland High has been in constant change—yet surrounding all this there was permanence; the permanence of traditions . . . the traditions that have enriched the lives of both students, faculty, administration and the town itself. These are the traditions that have changed Highland High from a mere institution of learning to a society within itself. They range from the amusing antics on the senior court, to the serious activities of commencement. Nevertheless they are the very heart of the school. From the very beginning, traditions reflect upon the inherent complexity of school life that has fused together to form the color, spirit and pride that constitutes A DECADE OF TRADITIONS AT HIGHLAND HIGH.*



# *Crowded halls bustle with activity as Highland High*

Sonic Boom? Thunder? Elephants? No—the noises and vibrations that shook the walls weren't caused by any outside disturbances. The cause is only some 1,294 pair of parading feet throughout the classrooms and corridors. Along with the congestion and confusion created by the increasing population of the school many new expansions were added to the building. To match the continually growing needs of the students, eighteen new faculty members joined the staff. Making their debut in the sports scene were the newly constructed tennis courts. Horseshoe pits and shuffleboard facilities were also among the innovations added to the school to better facilitate the sporting desires of the students. Step by step, the innovations of progress and modernization have been attained by fulfilling the necessities of the school, and the needs and desires of the community.

*Stately pillars and low, spacious architecture combine to give Highland High's main entrance both a dignified and a modern appearance which welcomes students.*



*From the window of the modern new business education wing, a view of the spacious campus grounds and science classes can be seen by students and teachers.*



*looks ahead to the future with plans for expansion*



*Replete with traditions, the Senior Court, as seen through the windows of the high school library, affords students a place to relax and converse during breaks.*



*Open to students when weather permits, the all-school court provides fresh air and relaxation for students between classes or during their lunch hour breaks.*





*Led by cheerleaders, the booster block, in the formation of the traditional "H" enthusiastically backs the team.*

*Once again success rang throughout the building as the victory bell was sounded after a triumphant wrestling meet.*





*Raising the flag each morning along with many other duties has become part of the regular routine of cadets in the R. O. T. C., a program introduced this year.*

*Adding finishing touches to their snowman. Seniors proudly claim him as being their property making use of their privileges including their private court.*



## *Accepted innovations convert to traditions of present, future life*

Remember when the gymnasium became a Japanese garden or the depths of the ocean? Many students now attending Highland, probably do not remember these proms, but because of these, the prom has become one of the many revered traditions at Highland. Progress constituted many new innovations which may, in time, become the traditions of tomorrow.

However, the activities most anxiously awaited were those formed a decade ago. Seniors ruling the senior court . . . decorations highlighting the water tower . . . potato chip crumbs and peanut shells ornamenting the cafeteria . . . any place in or outside of the school could be seen evidence of previous years of planning, combined with today's modern techniques. Blue and gold were the colors chosen in 1958 to represent the school, and Trojan the name for athletic teams. Gradually the Trojan head appeared on class rings, lettermen's sweaters, and band uniforms, thus becoming Highland High's insignia. Other innovations have been formed in more recent years, among them being the victory bell. It is through innovations like this, that traditions are formed.

*Honoring feats of outstanding individuals and teams are the increasing number of trophies symbolizing the success throughout the past and present years at Highland High.*





## *Watchful eyes gaze upon the splendid array of colors*

"We've gotta win . . ." Similar cries of hope and anxiety were evidence of the Trojan spirit as finishing touches were put on the floats and cars after many endless hours of preparation and dedication. Hundreds of faces lined the sidewalks and watchful eyes were fixed upon the splendid array of colors coming down Kennedy Avenue. Leading the procession for the first time to the football field was the newly organized and uniformed ROTC cadets serving as color guards. Varsity and junior varsity cheerleaders boosted spirit as they led cheers along the parade route. Cruising down the avenue, the parade of distinguished looking floats and cleverly decorated cars signified all the time and energy exerted by classes and clubs. Tension visibly mounted as the time for the long awaited half-time activities began, which was highlighted by the announcements of the queen and float honors.



*Stuffing flower after flower into chicken wire, senior Carol Wargo realizes the work necessary to produce a float.*

*Dragons on Kennedy Avenue? The Signpainters prove with their parade entry that nothing is impossible at Homecoming if some determined effort is put forth.*





"We'll Swallow Anythin But Defeat" was announced as recipient of second place honors during half-time festivities for the senior class.

Sophomores won third place trophy with their entry "Run 'Em Down" devoting many tedious hours of labor.

Representing the Girls' Athletic Association, Juniors Terri Schau and Betty Bodley, and Senior Inky Bandenicks take part in the homecoming festivities.





*Kleenex, chicken wire, and sore fingers became quite familiar to juniors who dedicated much of their time and effort to win first place trophy for their reward.*

*After planning careful strategy, Trojan warriors positioned themselves ready to snap the ball, hoping for that necessary play to score a vital touchdown.*



*Driven by earnest determination, Senior Larry Mays is impelled toward the goal line, cautiously casting glances in all directions in search of one of the dreaded Bulldogs.*



# Despite frustrations Trojans evince gallant struggle



Seconds lapsed . . . spirit rose . . . once again homecoming—all those weary hours of work and anticipation had reached a climax.

Steady beats of rain were heard . . . tired eyes became tearful and gloom prevailed through the halls, as the downfall intensified. Suddenly, all those quiet conversations of "What are we going to do?" became shouts of joy, as the rain subsided. Propelled by the increasing tempo of spirit, Trojan fans again anxiously awaited results of the evening. Nervously awaiting the final announcement, the six queen nominees circled the field . . . anxiety reached its peak as Lorrie Martin was crowned 1967 Homecoming Queen by Linda Parades, last year's queen.

Tension resumed its former potency as the junior class proudly accepted first place honors for their float, "Make 'Em Whine." "We'll Swallow Anything But De-feet", captured second for the seniors, while the sophomores won third place awards with their entry, "Run 'Em Down." Demonstrating valuable strategy throughout the game, the mighty Trojans made an all concerted team effort to overpower the opposing Crown Point Bulldogs, but were surpassed by a score of 17—0.

*Tears of happiness are revealed as Senior Lorrie Martin accepts the crown as the 1967 Homecoming Queen from Alumnus Linda Paredes and receives congratulations from her court.*

*Boosting the school spirit of the fans and team, Varsity cheerleaders, Juniors Nancy Biggs and Stephanie Fruth play their part in making the eighth homecoming a success.*





*John Ripley, portraying Judge Omar Gaffney, pauses for a few pensive moments to explain his plans to Myrtle Mae Simmons, played by Rosemary Locasto in the play "Harvey", the story of an imaginary white rabbit.*



*Reaction of the audience was one of hysterical laughter as Mrs. Vida Louise Simmons, portrayed by Margaret Bertez, returns from the asylum after a trying day as a patient overcome by the daily strain of a mental case.*



*"I hear someone coming," explains orderly Kevin Mackowiak to Dr. Sanderson, portrayed by Don Ashmann, during a brief discussion about one of the patients, a six foot rabbit, seen and heard by only Dodd.*



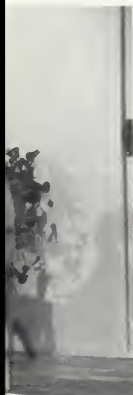
## *Convocations provide entertainment, broaden knowledge*



She could pass for a dehydrated prune! Even the strangest and most absurd characters realistically come alive in the world of dramatics with the essentials of make-up, hair spray, and costumes. Make-up and designing crews proved to be as valuable as the cast in making the production a success. Awaiting that decisive moment when the curtain rises only to reveal a sea of watchful eyes, apprehensive cast members practiced transforming themselves into their roles. Restraints of laughter could be detected throughout the gymnasium as convocation speakers strived to entertain students. Among the guests was the 16th President of the United States, Abraham Lincoln, alias Dick Blake who certainly swayed many individuals into believing history repeats itself. The first convo of the school season was traditionally sponsored by the Student Council.

*"Good morning, students," begins Jean Diekman. Many of the convos given are sponsored by student organizations.*

*Dick Blake's well-developed talent is evident by his portrayal of Abraham Lincoln in an all-school convocation.*





*Enjoying an evening which will long be remembered, Seniors Randy Benesh and Pat Corten pause for a few solitude moments together surrounded by an atmosphere of huge multi-colored flowers and streamers.*



*Waltzing to one of their favorite sounds, Senior Doug Juhasz and Jean Miller manage to find time for just one more dance to add to their score of delightful memories of an unforgettable evening.*

*Gazing into the wishing pond, Senior Shari Decker and Alumnus Bill Austin toss a coin hoping that someday their dreams will come true before crossing the wooden bridge into the wonderland of fantasy.*





## *"Wonderland Fantasy" offers everlasting memories*



"So she followed him through a keyhole and then . . ." Just as Alice found herself amidst a "Wonderland Fantasy", so did those who attended the 1967 Junior—Senior Prom. Upon entering the giant keyhole, couples were greeted by an atmosphere of fantasy and delight. A brilliant background was provided by the use of multi-colored flowers which transformed the cafeteria into an 'enchanted forest'. Some couples swayed rhythmically to the sounds of the Vito Manno Orchestra, while others, seated at tables adorned with flowers, enjoyed the atmosphere and refreshments. Majestically accepting the honor as the new Prom King and Queen, Tony Paglis and Anita Bodley performed their first royal duty by circling the dance floor and leading the Grand March. As the enchanting evening drew to a close, couples slowly drifted away leaving only remnants of the "Wonderland." With them forever, they took the magic that only memories can possess.

*Amidst a scene of butterflies and roses, Queen Anita, radiantly beaming, watches as King Tony signs her bid, a remembrance of the memorable evening following their crowning.*

*Majestically surrounded by their court, including Seniors Shari Decker, Jo Elyn Robbins, Bev Terpstra, Pam Drapeau, Rosemary Locasto, Mike Cable, Ron Ispas, John Ripley, Rick Hansen, and Randy Benesh, the newly-crowned King and Queen, Tony Paglis and Anita Bodley begin their royal reign.*





*Solemnly marching to their places for the baccalaureate program graduates Frida Nelson and Randy Osborn realize that they are nearing the end of their high school career.*



*Mr. Robert Day fulfills his duties of principal as he organizes the procession of 1967 graduates.*



*Delivering the traditional baccalaureate address, Reverend R. O. Lassanske directs his speech to the graduates.*



*With turning of tassels  
graduation concludes  
twelve year journey*

*"And miles to go before I sleep."*

Many miles had already been traveled—through bewildering days of the sophomore year to the eventful days of the junior year, up to the most memorable year for the seniors. All the organizations, school spirit, and friendships took on a new meaning, as the seniors began realizing that their days at Highland High were numbered. Suddenly, the most significant event of that twelve year journey was at its climax—graduation. Even the most ambitious students were a little reluctant in leaving their school days behind. The memories of the past and reflections of the future were mirrored on the faces of all graduating seniors.

*Proudly accepting her ticket to the future, Annette Koselke, senior class president, receives congratulations from Mr. Allen J. Warren, superintendent of schools.*

*Salutatorian Cheryl Buser's inspiring speech, "The End of the Beginning" brought memories of the past and dreams of the future to the minds of her fellow classmates.*





# Academics

Reading and understanding, carefully scanning over lecture notes, an intermittent hum of students exchanging last minute words, intense concentration . . . these elements, when assembled, create the careful study involved in a student's quest for knowledge.

Opening a book is like opening the door to opportunity. Flowing forth is an abundance of opportunities which, when compiled into a sentence, expresses ideals and thoughts for future goals.

Knowledge is the ultimate goal of everyday classroom study and homework. But this knowledge can only be obtained when there exists in the

student a quest for learning, whether the knowledge comes from instructors' notes, laboratory experimentation data, or class room discussions.

Students can then readily apply the knowledge they have learned in many classrooms by utilizing modern technical equipment which supplements the growing demand of the student body and the rapidly expanding curriculum.

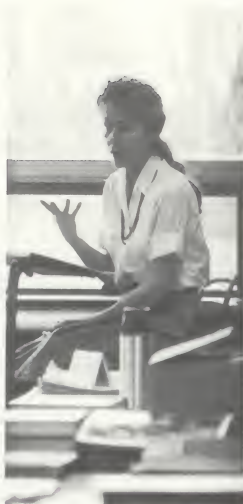
Questioning, receiving an answer, comprehending and assimilating . . . this is learning. It is a process experienced by thirteen hundred students everyday behind classroom doors at Highland High.







*Striving to illuminate open class discussion, Mr. Robert Kellam discusses fine points.*



*Conveying major conflicts, Mrs. Gloria Royer reviews elements of the selected novels for the junior level.*



*Reviewing the basic German vocabulary is only one of the many tasks performed by Mrs. Helen Beretz. The language and customs are further investigated by listening to tapes and conducting class discussions, reading books and translating.*

*Pensively gazing at the unfamiliar surroundings, Amparo Ovalle learns new customs and adapts to the ways of the North Americans comparing them to her previous way of living in South America.*

## Foreign students exchange ideas, promote relations

Bewildered by a world far distant and different from their native countries were among the mixed emotions experienced by Amparo Stella Orvalle and Maria Christina Reppetto, both exchange students from South America. The experience of learning about foreign soil was exchanged, as students attempted to communicate ideas in broken English and Spanish.

Dialogues, grammar, story telling and slides were among the many other interesting materials utilized by the German, French, Latin, and Spanish teachers to better assist students in their quest for knowledge.

Traveling into the world of fantasy, fiction, and realism, English students scrutinize techniques of plot and character development while reading assigned novels, short stories, plays and poetry. World literature and creative writing, both newly introduced courses enabled further development of the English skill.

*As a going away present Senior Cindy Speigel presented her house guest Chris Reppetto with a "Peanuts" sweatshirt from the Spanish Club at a monthly meeting.*



"Creativity, that's what your themes need!" exclaims Mrs. Helena Karr, English literature, creative writing, and vocabulary lessons are all essentials in senior English for any future use.



## English courses improve abilities to exchange ideas

Tension mounts, discomfort strikes, time lapses—suddenly, amidst an atmosphere of apprehensions a beginning speech student steps forward to give his first impromptu speech. Besides presenting speeches and oral readings, students also give daily announcements.

Expression is the key word as high school actors and actresses attempt to transform themselves into their roles. Creating effective costumes, make-up, and props is another important aspect of the drama class.

Research and quick thinking are essential for a successful debate. Expressing their views, teams strive to persuade listeners to their interpretation of the controversial topic.

Striving to learn the fundamentals of publishing top-notch publications, journalism students develop their interests in many journalistic fields.

*Concentration, determination, and a sincere interest in publications is reflected on the faces of prospective journalists.*



*A talking horse in speech class? Of course not, it's only Juniors Linda Parker and Laura Preiss presenting a pantomime of a television program. New techniques in drama offer a variety of fun.*





*"Resolved that . . ." begins Senior Marcia Rietman as she expresses her ideas on the pressing problem of national crime. Captivating the interest of fellow debaters requires hours of preparation.*

*Jitters, nervous tension, and butterfly sensations are overcome by students as they learn to present a speech successfully. Junior Bill Allen interests the audience with his presentation.*



*Taking a moment out to informally discuss one of the points of psychology, Mr. Michael Keppler expresses his opinion on the current trend of the Hippie movement.*

## Essential backgrounds in economics, history, aid students in future years

Man—his origin, his behavior, and his history are among the many interesting facets partially explored by social studies students.

Classes in world history delved into the depths of time to trace man's beginnings. In the United States History classes, students came to realize the struggle our forefathers went through to establish our country. Government classes discovered how important each vote is on election day when they held their own elections on November 7.

They traced the processes of

democratic government from the writing of the Declaration of Independence to the election of present day officials.

Economics is a big topic but through long hours of research, students gained a knowledge of the stock market and how stocks are bought and sold. They also discussed the economic policies of our government.

What makes people tick and why they behave the way they do occupied the thinking of the psychology and sociology students as they took and analyzed surveys.



*"Four score and seven years ago, our forefathers brought forth upon this continent . . ." quotes Mr. Porter Evans, U.S. History teacher, as he explains the Gettysburg address. By delving into the history of our country, students are better able to appreciate the United States.*



*Handing out pamphlets that will further the student's knowledge of economics, Mr. Robert Selund gives his pupils a chance to use all the latest techniques which will draw the students closer to the subject pertaining to the distribution of national wealth.*

*Writing term papers is just one of the many things that Senior Pat Habel does to help her better understand the complicated workings of our nation's governmental structure and its functionings.*



# Students gain experience of diverse business tasks,

fjz . . . oops! Along with all the frustrations and problems of the business leaders-to-be, comes the never-ending sounds of the clacking of typewriters, the pecking of adding machines, and the rustling of papers and books.

Learning the rudiments of the business world, students encounter the diverse tasks of applied economics, bookkeeping, clerical practices, shorthand, notehand, general business, typing, business machines, and consumer's math, which directs them to a better understanding and knowl-

edge of their chosen occupation.

"Growing pains" were experienced with the addition of merchandising and salesmanship courses which were introduced last year. Plans for distributive education were also being made. This plan would enable students to attend school in the morning and work in the afternoon for both credit and salary.

Developing skills for an occupation they will later pursue, and strengthening abilities to cope with the outside world are goals of the business leaders of tomorrow.

*Basic skills of speed, accuracy, and style are developed by Senior Linda Nordstrom as she practices the routine requirements and principles of typing. Future business students find typing a necessity and an advantage for their eventual business careers.*



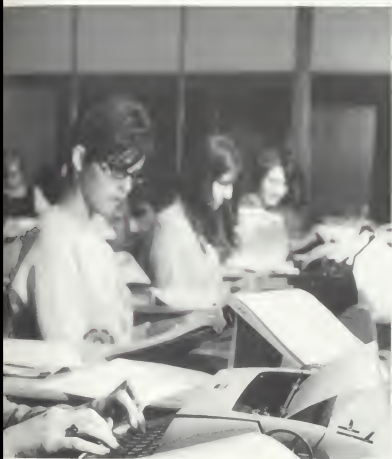
*Diligently working to perfect her shorthand, Senior Kathy McQuiston completes one of her many daily assignments which will help put her one step nearer her goal of becoming an expert in the business world.*

*"Oh, no, not again." Senior Cindy Chumbley ponders on the distressing situation. Such unpredictable experiences as broken ribbons and jammed keys are overcome by all typists.*





by completing assignments



*Proofreading final copies, Senior Fran Potesak detects the correct procedures for operating the mimeograph machine.*

*Pointing out some of the various business districts in the Highland area, Mr. Timothy Borowski explains the importance of merchandising to students who anticipate becoming prominent business leaders.*

## ROTC added,

Counter-march three . . . four. With the shrill blowing of a whistle, the squadron abruptly came to attention. These were among the sights and sounds that readily became familiar to Highland High students as A.F.R.O.T.C. cadets practiced their daily drills and prepared for weekly inspections.

Being selected from eight Calumet area high schools as the one to host areo-space education program was a high honor for Highland. Inquisitive students began asking questions like "Is Highland really turning over a new leaf as a military academy?" which were rapidly answered . . . No!

Careful precision was also instilled in the science department. Here, students were given the opportunity to search for unknowns in chemical solutions, to dissect and explore the hidden mysteries of living organisms, and to seek answers and to grasp an understanding of thermodynamics, energy, and molecular structure.



*Senior Gail Yuhasz intently observes as Mr. Ron Surdzial expounds upon the combination of atoms in the model. Similar constructions enable a wider understanding of atomic structure.*

*Experimenting with the fundamentals of physics, Mr. Lee Farley views the situation as Senior Sue Kwolek conducts her investigation, later trying to verify her speculations.*





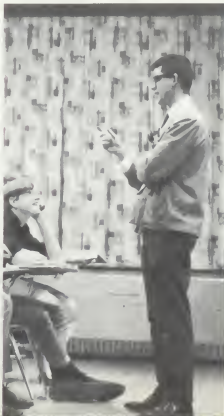
## amateur scientists delve into vast, unexplored regions

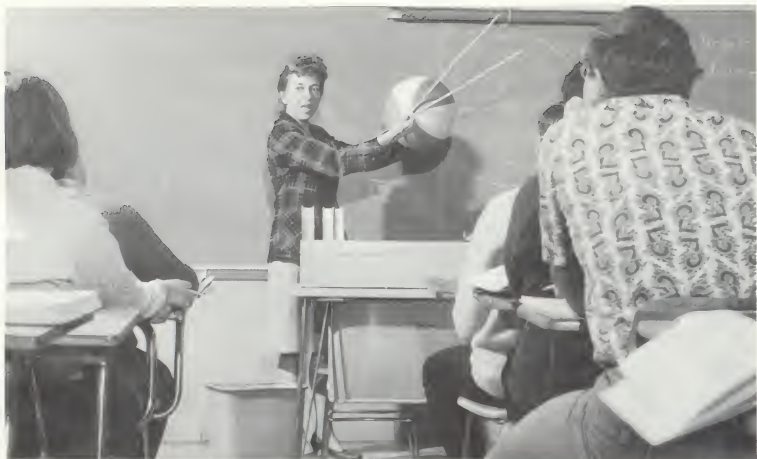


*Standing at attention, the AFROTC cadets undergo regular routine inspection by Sergeant Schwab. This newly organized group practices regular drills and maneuvers during their weekly drill periods conducted on the high school campus.*

*Mr. Larry Johnson explains the many intricate systems in the frog's anatomy.*

*Relating unusual situations in the chemical world, Mr. Ron Surdital explains the importance of combining only the indicated ingredients when performing experiments.*





*Chords, radii, and secants, all essential properties of the geometric world are pointed out by Mrs. Jean Hoff. To aid students in the understanding of such complex principles, model structures are employed.*

*Examining each step of his identity, Senior John Decker proves the trigonometric statement. Adding to the competition of the class, students volunteer and receive extra credit for their board work.*

*After receiving answers fed back from the main computer at the Illinois Institute of Technology, Junior John Balog carefully reads the punched code to decipher the solution to the problem.*



# Improbable situations receive solutions from computers



Highland Trojans tie the Green Bay Packers! Incredible, even the most unusual problems can turn into realities with the assistance of a computer. Seconds after feeding the proper information into the "electronic brain," solutions are readily and accurately computed.

Data processing and programming techniques are studied by students. After completing programs they are sent to the computer, located in the Illinois Institute of Technology via the teletype machines.

Computer Math, a newly offered course, consists of using a large digital computer to solve problems selected from trigonometry and calculus.

With the aid of compasses, protractors, slide rules, and other essential tools, studies have been made of the basic fundamentals in the world of numbers. Probing into the various fields, young mathematicians have discovered its importance.

*During study time given to complete homework, Mr. Leroy Cable assists Senior Jim Chadwick with problem solutions.*

*Contemplating results, Senior Tony Paglis types under the supervision of Mr. Donald Clark, computer programming instructor.*



# Budding artists cultivate creative imagination, ingenuity



Joy felt when hearing music, reverence for perfect rendering of a hymn, awe at rough stone turned into a thing of beauty, admiration for an interesting painting—

All of these emotions are within us and only need some direction for us to really benefit from the cultural experience the fine arts extend to all. Through the training in art classes, students are better able to appreciate great art throughout their lives.

Beautiful music well performed is pleasant to all of the senses. In the music appreciation classes students had the opportunity to hear some of the classics. Those with talent and ability were encouraged to perform in the eight vocal and choral groups as they performed in concerts, marched in the band or sang in the operetta.

*Sophomores Marlene Sutton and Phyllis Misecko, using the essential tools of a straight edge and pencil, develop skills of perspective drawing in advanced art classes.*



*With brush in hand, Seniors Joy Taylor, Roslyn Peterson, and Pam Gregory add finishing touches to their original creations by utilizing their artistic talent.*





## Domestic scene studied thoroughly by future mothers

U-m-m-m . . . I don't think it's coming from the chemistry lab! Tracing all the fragrant aromas which drifted out into the corridors and classrooms, its origin was found in the foods class, where busy home ec students were preparing foods ranging from light snacks to full course dinners.

With the intermittent hum of busy machines, sewing students were kept busy with laying out patterns, stitching and basting seams, and hemming final creations.

Practicing the basics of child care and caring for a family was the goal of family living students. Home management courses give the future wives and mothers an opportunity to acquire skills of precise planning and budgeting essential in managing a successful home.

*Prior to cutting, Juniors Jackie Cummins and Carolyn Harris carefully layout the pattern using precision and neatness.*

*Debbie Morrow, sophomore, utilizes various techniques instilled in sewing class.*



*Practicing before the watchful eye of Mrs. Carolyn Robinson for future vocations are seniors Deleta Williams and Joyce Muha exhibiting proper bedmaking procedures.*



# New equipment promotes better educational opportunity

Purring engines, buzzing saws, and hissing torches are only a few of the many sounds vibrating throughout the industrial arts wing.

Creative minds are developed with the designing, engineering, and drawing involved in the mechanical and architectural drawing courses.

Expansion of the curriculum called for a new graphic arts class. Applying the principles of silk screen, letterpress, and lithography, students gain a knowledge of the field.

Electronics students investigate the basic properties of electricity and electrical wiring by examining small appliances.

Techniques of constructing useful wood furniture and metal objects are used in the wood and metal shops.

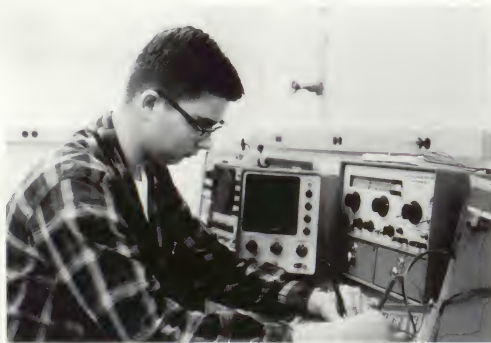
Analyzing the function and purpose of each intricate part, power mechanics students carefully dismantle and reassemble various types of engines, to cultivate a better knowledge of motors.

Practical experience in these classes today will develop into the careers and hobbies of tomorrow.



*Pondering over the measurements of a drafting construction is Sophomore Pam Krivach.*

*By using new equipment, Francis Conn finds he can better comprehend electrical concepts.*





Seniors, Dan Toth and Jim Guinn tediously set a paragraph of Gothic Type for one of their assignments. These students are among the many who have taken part in the new Graphic Arts course.



Grinding, smoothing, and cutting are among the many useful jobs a welding student such as Senior Richard Waugh learns in the process of completing welding projects.



Utilizing one of the many machines available in the wood shop are Junior Wes Heubner and Senior Paul Ziemniak.



## Students develop strength, stamina in daily exercise

"Act like a tree? Yes—a real live tree!" Strange? No, not really. Even the strangest feats are brought into reality in the physical education classes. Originality and creativity add to the fun and variety of the course.

Striving for complete physical fitness, students learn the rudiments of refreshing and invigorating skills in basketball, football, cageball, tumbling, and gymnastics.

Competitive team sports reveal the necessity of good sportsmanship. Individually, students are given skill tests to determine abilities and are allowed to continue on their own pace.

Aside from the regular athletic routine, square dancing, creative movement, and free exercise are practiced for balance, poise, and further development of muscle tone.

*Straining that extra inch to raise himself over the bar, Senior Alan Hope develops his muscles and coordination with chin-up exercises.*

*"I wonder if I could do that," thinks Senior Kathy Kovack as she surveys the techniques used by Senior Sharon Wiley and Junior Vicki Cornell while they execute free exercise stunts.*



# Summer classes give students educational opportunities



Silent hush lingering about empty corridors . . . dust motes gently drifting . . . suddenly, like an explosion this tranquil scene disappears and leaves in its place the hustle and bustle of hundreds of students beginning another summer school session.

Creative artists, experimental chemists, and apprehensive speakers learn the fundamentals of their classes and how to apply them. Economics, government, biology, math, English, history and mechanical drawing are offered to summer school students.

Ranking highest in enrollment, the drivers' education courses teach novice drivers the fundamentals of safety and operation of the automobile. Driving two or three times a week, students spend the remaining time in class.

Working on the summer edition of the Trojanal which is distributed weekly to the students, journalists learn the key to good reporting and apply this knowledge to their work.

*Even a girl can change a tire! Drivers' education classes prepare the young woman driver for a future emergency.*



*Diligent, precise typing is carefully performed by summer school students anxious to begin their business courses at Highland High School.*

*Learning the history of music as well as the many different notes which compose it are eager summer school students of music appreciation.*







# Athletics

Tension mounts! The game is about to begin. All of the athletes have cleared their minds and as students watch, they see each jaw tighten, and note the look of intense concentration come over the face of the athletes. Each one is trying to remember all of the instructions he has received in preparation for this moment.

In team sports such as basketball and football, the game depends not only on individual ability but also on the concerted efforts of the team members who work in cooperation with one another. In individual sports however, each athlete must strive to win or lose for himself and Highland

High . . . this is the thread that ties all athletes together.

There are many levels of competition at Highland including intramurals for athletes who enjoy competition but don't have the inclination to compete on the interscholastic level. Athletes who devote much time to practice and preparation enjoy the thrill of interscholastic competition.

Each athlete who takes part in athletic program profits by gaining knowledge of the sport, and his enthusiasm—win or lose, is nourished each time he has the opportunity to take the field and feel the excitement of pride representing Highland High in any athletic event.



## Trojans open year with



*Undaunted by the opposition, Trojan fullback Mike Curtis storms down the muddy gridiron to earn a touchdown for the Highland team.*

*To down the Griffith ball carrier is the motive of defensive end Randy Benesh as he moves in toward the Griffith advancing line.*

*Awaiting the play, the defensive unit tries to block a Griffith drive.*



## Emerson victory

It sometimes seems unjust that football teams are mostly judged by their won and loss record. The fairness of this evaluation does not consider the closeness of the scores or why and how games were lost. Most of all, it does not tell how good a team really was, or what the record would have been if the ball would have bounced differently in one game, or if one certain play had been successful. An early-season win could have spirited the Trojans, and this momentum could have carried them through to a winning season.

As it was, Highland finished with a 2-6-1 season record. The amount of hard work, time, effort, and pain endured by both the players and coaching staff can not be measured by the disappointing record.

Highland opened the season by whipping Gary Emerson. The Trojan's hopes of a conference championship dwindled when they lost to Lake Central and Portage. After a tie with Munster and a 7-0 win over Merrillville, the Men of Troy dropped their last four ballgames.

*Coach Ken Sypul, aided by Assistant Coach Sekula, screams instructions to a player during one of the Trojan's important contests.*



*Behind a handful of blockers, halfback Dave Gilbert tries to use his training of cuts and fakes in order to break away.*



## Trojan gridmen end 2-6-1 season while rebuilding

Spirit! That's what a good football team needs. The emotions of the team are just as vital to success as quick thinking, good size, and experienced lettermen.

Coach Sypult attempted to arouse this feeling in his team throughout the season, but the players were subjected to steaming heat, frozen fields and harsh criticism. Only the ones who wanted to play; the ones who wanted a starting berth withstood this punishment without complaints, but rather with strong performances during the games. Although the season as a whole was not too successful, many individuals performed their jobs with notable efficiency.

*Larry Mays attempts to cut by several would-be tacklers in the Merrillville game. Mays threw to Benesh for the only score.*



*End Randy Benesh strains to latch onto an aerial in order to gain more yardage against the Lake Central Indians.*

*Trying to run past a horde of Merrillville tacklers, Larry Mays helped the Trojans cause as Highland triumphed by a 7-0 score.*





Determination covers the face of hard-running fullback Vic Foshion as he lugs the ball during the Merrillville contest.

#### INDIVIDUAL SCORING

|               | T.D. | P.A.T. | T.P. |
|---------------|------|--------|------|
| Benesh .....  | 2    | —      | 12   |
| Foshion ..... | 2    | —      | 12   |
| Allen .....   | 1    | 3      | 9    |
| Barnes .....  | 1    | —      | 6    |
| Gilbert ..... | 1    | —      | 6    |
| Hicks .....   | 1    | —      | 6    |
| Mays .....    | 1    | —      | 6    |

#### BACKFIELD STATISTICS

|               | Carries | Yds. Gained | Ave. P.C. |
|---------------|---------|-------------|-----------|
| Foshion ..... | 123     | 520         | 4.2       |
| Barnes .....  | 53      | 175         | 3.3       |
| Mays .....    | 47      | 109         | 2.3       |
| Curtis .....  | 26      | 101         | 3.8       |
| Gilbert ..... | 21      | 33          | 1.5       |





## Racketmen lack experience, depth during 4—7 season



*Junior Randy Sawtell displays the form which gained him third place in the county tourney.*



"Love 15, 30, 45, game," were a few of the many sounds heard on the fast-paced, action-packed tennis courts as the Highland Tennis team, coached by Harry Mathers, finished their third season with a disappointing 4—7 record.

Combining youth with experience, Coach Mathers hoped to build for the future while giving the underclassmen a chance to mature.

Seniors Brian Benda and Herschel Morris represented Highland's only hopes in the Lake County Tennis Association tournament in which they placed second in the doubles competition. Sophomores Phil Amodeo and Jim McDonald rounded out the second doubles play throughout the season.

Randy Sawtell provided the needed depth in the first singles spot while Darold Nichols played second man singles. Mike Chumbley, playing in the third singles competition, completed the singles division.

*Great anticipation and quick reactions enable Lee Schmidt to return an opponent's serve during one of the Trojans' important matches.*

*Correct form, an essential part of tennis, begins in practice as Sophomore Phil Amodeo strains to return a teammate's serve.*



# Rick Espitia captures State Cross-Country title as Zatkulak gets ninth

Paced by Seniors Rick Espitia and Tony Zatkulak, Highland's Cross-country team finished with the finest overall record in its history. Under the expert guidance of sophomore Coach Michael Poehlein, the Trojan harriers attained a 13-3 log while ending up 3rd in the Calumet Conference standings.

Rick Espitia and Tony Zatkulak proved to be the one-two punch in the Trojans' attack as Rick became the first Highland runner ever to win the individual state championship while Tony finished 9th in the stiff final competition at Indianapolis.

Coach Poehlein added a new innovation this season: the running of the 1st Annual Highland Invitational in which the Trojan team thoroughly humbled Gavit, Griffith, Noll, Tech, Morton, and Gary Lew Wallace.

*Displaying the dedication so essential to a good runner, Rick Espitia led the Trojans.*

*Battling for the lead in the Highland Invitational, three Trojans show good team balance.*



*Expressions reflect the feelings of three Trojan harriers. Chuck Stockham thinks back upon his effort while Terry Woodston eyes the team standings and Tony Zatkulak gasps for breath.*

*Sophomore Lee Loy attempts to garner more points in hopes of defeating his Portage opponent in the 120 pound weight class.*



*Junior heavyweight Jeff Harkin demonstrates one of the various techniques of bringing down an opponent as Junior Varsity Coach Michael Poehlein watches hopefully.*

## Marv Scheeringa takes first place in State Tourney

Highland's wrestlers charged to an impressive 11-2-1 record and were vaulted into second place in the hotly-contested Calumet Conference race.

Under the leadership of first year coach Larry Johnson, the Trojans produced one state champion as Marvin Scheeringa copped the 103 lb. weight class title, while Martin Scheeringa captured the sectional title of the 112 lb. weight class.

With only two returning lettermen, the Trojans were boosted by the outstanding performances put forth by the sophomore wrestlers.

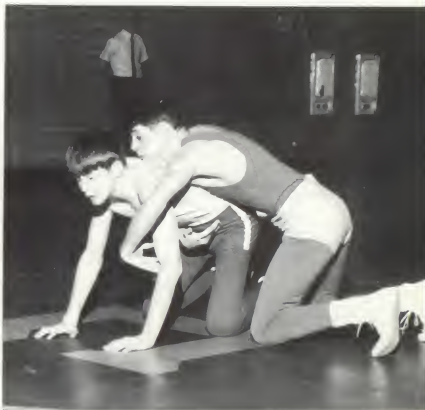
Sophomores Lee Loy, Jeff Pasquelli, and Jovan Vercel also sparked the Trojans with their consistent efforts. Vercel, in the 165 lb. weight class, wrestled his way to a third place finish in the sectionals.

Calumet and Gavit were the only teams to stop the Trojans while Crown Point gained a tie.



*Junior Chuck McShane attempts to escape from the hold which his opponent has used on him in his struggle with a Portage Indian.*

*State Champion Marvin Scheeringa tries to gain the advantage over his Portage opponent. Marv ended the season with a 17-1 log.*



*Head wrestling Coach Larry Johnson expresses three different moods as he shows concern, yells instructions, and claps in approval.*





*In a desperate attempt to prevent the Troopers from lighting up two on the scoreboard, Sophomore John Gaydos anxiously watches as teammate Mike Young bounds for the ball determined to take it down court.*

*Driving for a two point lay-up, Sophomore Warren Henry checks his positioning of the basket, planning strategy and hoping for that decisive play giving the Trojans another basket towards a victory.*



*"Team is in the huddle, the coach is at the head." After calling a time out during a crucial moment of a Junior Varsity game, Coach Paul Schuyler outlines wrong moves and a new strategy. Words of encouragement boost the morale of the mighty Trojans.*





## Trojans upset Governors, bow to Tech in sectionals

Striving to attain the conference championship trophy which their predecessors had captured, the 1968 Trojan basketball team ended the season with a 2-18 record.

Claiming victories over Whiting 75-61 and Gary Wirt 67-63, the predominately underclass team gained experience and confidence with each additional game.

Junior Bob Szabo led the team scoring with a total of 258 points for the season. Sophomore guard Mike Law tallied 220 markers during the season while outpointing senior teammates Dean Carrico and Randy Benesh who had 193 and 184 points, respectively.

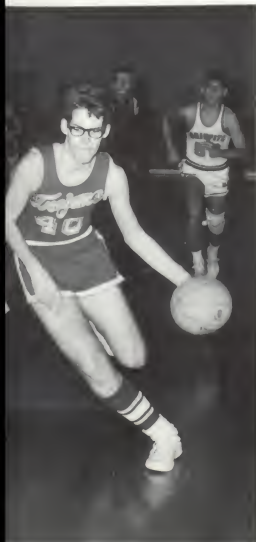
Highland entered the sectionals with high hopes as they stunned the Morton Governors before bowing to the Hammond Tech Tigers.

Mr. Paul Schuyler, the Junior Varsity coach, led his team, composed entirely of sophomores, to a hard-fought 10-10 record. Guard Ken Kovack and center Mike Young propelled the young team with their consistent scoring.



Senior forward Randy Benesh lays a reverse lay-up on the backboard in hopes of two points while surrounded by several Whiting Oilers whom the Trojans defeated.

Trying to outmaneuver a Griffith Panther, Junior forward Dave Ranich dribbles towards the basket in hopes of gaining another two points for the Trojan cause.



# Trojan basketballers finish season with 2—18 record



Lacking the needed experience, the 1967-68 Trojan basketballers suffered through its worst season in several years while finishing with a lackluster 2—18 record and winding up last in the Calumet Conference race.

With a new coach, only four returning lettermen, and a new system to be learned, the Trojans attempted to overcome these factors.

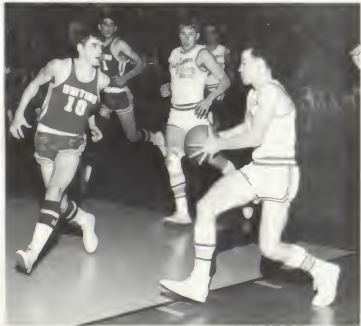
Coach Darrell Morken tried to instill the needed determination and stamina in his charges to withstand the rigors of the punishing basketball season. Although unfamiliar with the type of basketball played in the Calumet Region, Coach Morken attempted to adjust to the new methods as quickly as possible.

Size and hustle were the most outstanding plus factors which the Trojan team possessed. Poor ballhandling and inconsistent guard play proved to be weaknesses which hampered Highland's cagers throughout the 1968 basketball season.

*Evading two Munster Mustangs, senior guard Ron Ispas attempts to sink another basket for the Trojan cause on a driving layup.*

*Junior center Bob Szabo leaps in hopes of adding to his point total while surrounded by a pair of Trojan teammates in the Whiting game.*

*Sophomore guard Mike Law charges into the lead of a fast break and tries to gain two points while being closely guarded by a Whiting Oiler.*





Senior forward Dean Carrico "shoots for two" while unguarded during the Trojans encounter with the Munster Mustangs.



Opening the play of the ball game, Center Bob Szabo attempts to tip the ball to a Trojan teammate during the game against Munster.

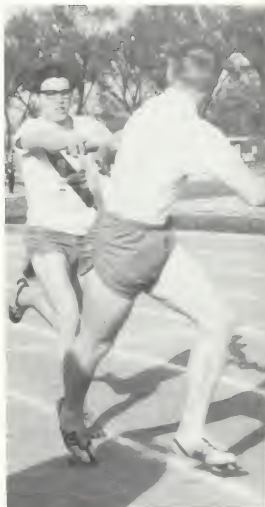
#### 1967-68 BASKETBALL STATISTICS

|         | FGA | FG | FT | TP  |
|---------|-----|----|----|-----|
| Szabo   | 242 | 94 | 70 | 258 |
| Law     | 230 | 83 | 54 | 220 |
| Carrico | 194 | 79 | 34 | 192 |
| Benesh  | 204 | 64 | 56 | 184 |
| Ranich  | 172 | 53 | 41 | 147 |
| Joyce   | 112 | 28 | 17 | 73  |
| Gilbert | 63  | 17 | 14 | 48  |
| Mays    | 62  | 11 | 21 | 43  |
| Ispas   | 35  | 11 | 21 | 43  |
| Nolen   | 4   | 1  | 0  | 2   |
| Markley | 3   | 0  | 2  | 2   |



*Silhouetted by the sun, a Highland pole vaulter coordinates the knowledge he has accumulated in practice along with his natural ability in hopes of clearing new heights.*

*Putting the techniques he has learned in practice sessions to use, Junior Bob Szabo exhibits the style which enabled him to capture the Calumet Conference high jumping crown last year.*



*Relaying the baton to his Trojan teammate, Bruce Peterson strives to keep a steady pace during the hand off in an important conference meet.*



## Trackmen point toward season with high hopes

Mix two of the state's top runners along with a seasoned group of lettermen and an ambitious squad of underclassmen. What do you have? The '68 Highland Track team.

Highland's strength lay in its distance runners with Rick Espitia blazing the way while Tony Zatkulak also provided added impetus.

Letterman Mike Barnes returned in the sprint competition along with Bruce Peterson, John Stivers, Terry Woolston and Sophomore Mike Young.

Junior Bob Szabo who captured the Calumet Conference high jumping crown last year returned and, along with several promising underclassmen, posed a threat to any opponent.

Seniors Dave Begala and Dan Otto again tallied more points for the Trojan cause in the hurdles. Senior Paul Mazalan headed a corps of talented shot putters as they garnered points for the Trojans throughout the season.



*Straining to attain every possible inch, Senior shot putter Jim Ceaser heaves his shot past a rival's, hoping to garner more points.*

*Grimacing with pain from his exertion, Senior Rick Espitia is aided by two teammates following a race in which Rick emerged victorious over a Calumet opponent.*







*Southpaw hurler, Junior Don Knauss fires a pitch which he hopes will fool the opponent and increase the chances of another Trojan victory.*

*Shying away from a close pitch, Senior Tim Juran used his skill to pace the Trojans to a third place finish in the Calumet Conference race during the '67 season.*



*Rhythm, coordination, power, and balance—all four essential characteristics of a good hitter are employed by Junior Don Knauss as he tries to help increase the Trojan margin by belting a hit.*



## Gilbert, Juran pace Trojans after finishing '67 season with 12—4 record

"Strike three," became a familiar sound to Highland's opponents during the 1968 Trojan baseball season as the hickorymen returned with six battle-tested lettermen.

Senior Tim Juran and Junior Dave Gilbert headlined the Trojan pitching staff which was also bolstered by the return of a few outstanding junior varsity players from last year's team.

Four other seasoned performers were again called upon to carry the Trojan load. Senior catcher Mike Cable, infielder Ron Ispas,

outfielder Pat Roche, and pitcher Joe Skertich were the veterans who Coach Leroy Cable and Assistant Coach Robert Sekula counted upon.

Highland captured third in the heated '67 Calumet Conference race with an improved 8—3 record. Trojan victories included wins over Portage, Lowell, Calumet, Gary Wirt, and Gary Edison. Hanover Central, East Gary, Lake Central, Griffith, and Munster were also downed by last year's team. The Trojans also took second place in the sectionals.



Senior catcher Mike Cable strains to beat out a hit which might result in a Trojan score.

Trojan pitcher Tim Juran prepares to fan an East Gary batter during last year's game which ended in a 4—3 victory.



## Three lettermen return following record of 15—5



Highland High's golf team should surpass its 1967 season record of 15—5 as three leading golfers return.

Coach Harry Mathers will count on Seniors Keith Lane, Bill Phillips, and Daryl Slamkowski to lead the Trojan linkmen throughout the golf season. These three, along with alumni Bob Barenie and Dave Tuskan, were mainly responsible for last year's 8—3 record which was good for a 3rd place finish in the Calumet Conference.

Last year marked the first time Highland competed in the state final competition as a team. The turfmen attained this distinction by finishing in 3rd place in both the sectional and regional matches. Daryl Slamkowski finished first in the regionals with a score of 79. The Trojans could not keep up with this hot pace however, as they slipped to 12th place in the final meet in Indianapolis.

*Exhibiting the proper stance and foot placement, Senior Keith Lane practices using his different irons.*



*Starting his backswing while keeping his eyes glued on the ball, Senior letterman Bill Phillips swings his club in hopes of a good shot and gaining a par for the hole.*

*Senior Daryl Slamkowski uses careful planning in lining up a shot which he hopes will be successful and increase his team's chances of winning as teammates Keith Lane and Bill Phillips watch.*



## Increased teams, players give new outlook to '68 basketball intramurals

Highland High's Intramural program, under the direction of Mr. Robert Selund, increased this year as two new teams and over 80 boys took part.

Gaining this year's crown were the Celtics with a 9-0 record. Composed of seniors, they also led the league as the highest scoring team and as the best defensive team. Tom Richards served as captain of the team, but the steady play of Larry Michalec, Dan Henley, Rick Espitia, Tim Juran, and Joe Skertich were the deciding factors.

Closely following the Celtics were the Cougars, made up of juniors. Captained by Bob Hobbs, the Cougars finished the season with an 8-1 log.

The Hawks followed in third place along with the Bullets with records of 6 wins and 3 losses. Tied for fifth place were the Rams and the Eagles with 5-4 records. The Lions, Warriors, and Pacers all had identical 2-7 records which earned them a share of 7th place. The Colts, comprised entirely of sophomores, failed to win a game while losing nine.

*Attempting to block an opponent's shot Senior Daryl Slamkowski follows up with Frank Martinez before an important intramural game as Senior Pat Hall guards his man and tries to stop him from gaining any possible rebound.*

*Showing two different ways of making a lay-up are Juniors Gorley MacKenzie and Ted Rogus as the intramural schedule was rearranged this year with the increased number of participants and teams. The league consisted of nine teams with 8-10 boys on a team.*





# Trojan athletes set new marks, bring honors



## 1967 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

|              | H.H.S. | OPP. |
|--------------|--------|------|
| Emerson      | 19     | 6    |
| Lake Central | 9      | 19   |
| Portage      | 6      | 14   |
| Munster      | 13     | 13   |
| Merrillville | 6      | 0    |
| Crown Point  | 0      | 17   |
| Calumet      | 0      | 6    |
| Lowell       | 0      | 14   |
| Griffith     | 7      | 33   |

## 1967 CROSS-COUNTRY SCHEDULE

|                         |      |
|-------------------------|------|
| Munster                 | won  |
| Noll                    | won  |
| Clark                   | won  |
| Tech                    | won  |
| Lake Central            | won  |
| Wirt                    | won  |
| Crown Point             | lost |
| Lowell                  | won  |
| Portage                 | won  |
| Chesterton              | won  |
| Highland Invitational   | 1st  |
| Calumet                 | lost |
| Merrillville            | won  |
| East Gary               | won  |
| Griffith                | won  |
| Gary Edison             | won  |
| Andean Invitational     | 5th  |
| Shortridge Invitational | 4th  |
| Conference Finals       | 3rd  |
| Sectionals              | 3rd  |
| LaPorte Invitational    | 5th  |
| Regional                | 7th  |

**FOOTBALL—BOTTOM ROW:** Mr. R. Sekula, ass't coach; Mr. P. Rush, ass't coach; R. McQuiston, mascot; J. Haburay, L. Loy, J. Socin, T. Schreffer, J. Pasquini, R. Lambert, G. Brandenburg, B. Markley, T. Bickell, T. Truman, managers; Mr. K. Syput, head coach; Mr. P. Evans, ass't coach. **SECOND ROW:** R. Ispas, J. Ceaser, J. Wargo, C. McShane, J. Wright, D. Marshall, D. Simpson, M. Pavnica, J. Toth, J. Vercel, M. Cable, M. Grevich, M. Novac, D. Zisoff. **THIRD ROW:** B. Smith, J. Nowell, K. Deceuster, D. Devich, M. Curtis, E. Suda, J. Horvath, L. Day, L. Mays, V. Foshion, D. Cox, E. Schreiber, B. Hobbs, R. Rone, D. McCullough. **FOURTH ROW:** M. Young, D. Carriaco, J. Mercer, R. Benesh, P. Mazzalon, B. Vanzo, D. Csikos, J. Harkin, D. Gilbert, T. Arrington, M. Grych, F. Fisher, R. Michalak, V. Martinez, M. Barnes.



**VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY—BOTTOM ROW:** B. Peterson, C. Stockham, J. Stivers, T. Woolston, G. Schacklett, T. Zatkulak, R. Espitia. **SECOND ROW:** Mr. M. Poehlein, coach; R. Hodges, B. Schwamberger, B. Welo, P. Givens, E. Burke.

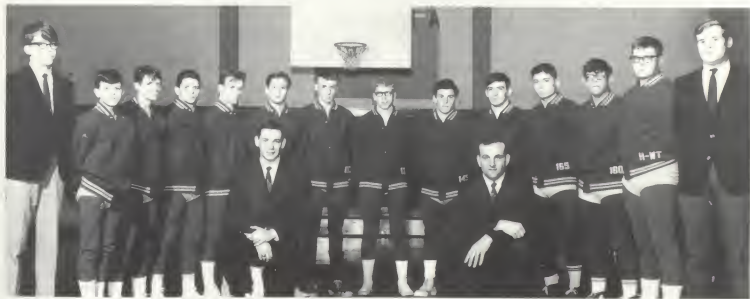




**J.V. WRESTLING**—**BOTTOM ROW:** Mr. M. Poehlein, coach. **SECOND ROW:** P. Daville, D. Flack, D. Gordon, E. DeLauro, M. Loy, D. Drake, G. Juhasz, D. Devich, T. Arrington, G. Brandenburg.

#### 1967 VARSITY WRESTLING SCHEDULE

|              |      |
|--------------|------|
| Chesterton   | won  |
| Griffith     | won  |
| Merrillville | won  |
| Crown Point  | tie  |
| East Gary    | won  |
| Wirt         | won  |
| Portage      | won  |
| Calumet      | lost |
| Edison       | won  |
| Lowell       | won  |
| Lake Central | won  |
| Bishop Noll  | won  |
| Gavit        | lost |



**VARSITY WRESTLING**—**BOTTOM ROW:** Mr. M. Poehlein, ass't. coach; Mr. L. Johnson, head coach. **SECOND ROW:** G. Martin, manager; D. Summerford, M. Scheeringa, M. Scheeringa, L. Loy, E. Socin,

J. Stivers, A. Hope, J. Pasquinelli, C. McShane, J. Vercel, L. Gomez, J. Harkin, G. Ruch, manager.

**TENNIS**—**BOTTOM ROW:** K. Clark, M. Chumbley, J. MacDonald, H. Morris. **SECOND ROW:** Mr. H. Mathers, coach; P. Amodeo, B. Benda, L. Schmidt, D. Nichols, R. Sawtell, R. Pope, manager.



#### 1967 TENNIS SCHEDULE

|                 |      |
|-----------------|------|
| E.C. Washington | won  |
| River Forest    | won  |
| Wirt            | lost |
| Crown Point     | lost |
| Munster         | lost |
| Griffith        | lost |
| River Forest    | won  |
| Wirt            | lost |
| Crown Point     | lost |
| Munster         | lost |
| Griffith        | won  |

# Returning lettermen bolster spring sports' strength



**VARSITY BASKETBALL**—*BOTTOM ROW:* T. Truman, mgr.; J. Ripley, mgr.; Mr. D. Morken, coach; G. Hicks, mgr. *SECOND ROW:* L.

Mays, D. Gilbert, D. Carrico, B. Markley, R. Benesh, D. Ranich, B. Szabo, T. Nolen, J. Joyce, M. Law, R. Ispas.

## BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

| TEAM            | OPP. | H.S. |
|-----------------|------|------|
| E. C. Roosevelt | 112  | 51   |
| Munster         | 71   | 41   |
| Gavit           | 77   | 59   |
| Griffith        | 67   | 41   |
| Merrillville    | 57   | 53   |
| Crown Point     | 85   | 63   |
| Clark           | 68   | 51   |
| East Gary       | 56   | 52   |
| Whiting         | 61   | 75   |
| Wirt            | 63   | 68   |
| Portage         | 95   | 82   |
| Calumet         | 65   | 59   |
| Morton          | 92   | 68   |
| Edison          | 102  | 85   |
| Lowell          | 80   | 70   |
| Lake Central    | 70   | 58   |
| Chesterton      | 71   | 57   |
| Bishop Noll     | 86   | 61   |
| Sectionals      |      |      |
| Morton          | 46   | 52   |
| Tech            | 78   | 61   |



**J.V. BASKETBALL**—*BOTTOM ROW:* W. Henry, K. Kovack, J. Socin, D. Bell, M. King. *SECOND ROW:* Mr. P. Schuyler, coach; C. Thompson, P. Amodeo, S. Markley, M. Young, J. Gaydos, D. Pettit, mgr.

**J.V. TRACK**—*BOTTOM ROW:* B. Welo, E. Burke, D. Marshall, D. Bell, F. Stacy. *SECOND ROW:* B. Steiber, mgr.; B. Anderson, L. Day, D. Pearson, B. Popka, J. Gaydos, M. Grych, S. Carman, D. Simala, mgr. *THIRD ROW:* Mr. K. Syputt, ass't coach; J. Peterson, S. Clements, G. Brandenburg, R. White, R. Jewell, Mr. M. Poehlein, head coach.





GOLF—**BOTTOM ROW:** A. Hope, B. Asher, K. Lane, B. Phillips, D. Williams, J. Haburay  
**SECOND ROW:** W. Henry, K. Meyer, D. Slamkowski, J. Hirtz, B. Polte, K. Jones, Mr. H. Mathers, coach.

#### BASEBALL SCHEDULE

| TEAM            | PLACE   | DATE     |
|-----------------|---------|----------|
| Munster         | Here    | April 2  |
| T.F. North      | There   | April 3  |
| Hanover Central | Here    | April 5  |
| Griffith        | There   | April 9  |
| T. F. North     | Here    | April 10 |
| Merrillville    | There   | April 12 |
| Crown Point     | Here    | April 16 |
| East Gary       | There   | April 19 |
| Wirt            | Here    | April 22 |
| Portage         | There   | April 24 |
| Calumet         | Here    | April 26 |
| Edison          | Here    | April 30 |
| Lowell          | There   | May 3    |
| Tourney         | Munster | May 4    |
| Lake Central    | Here    | May 7    |
| Chesterton      | Here    | May 10   |
| Munster         | There   | May 14   |
| Griffith        | Here    | May 21   |
| Bishop Noll     | There   | May 24   |
| Sectional       | May 27- | June 1   |

#### GOLF SCHEDULE

| TEAM                           | DATE     |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Hammond Tech                   | April 2  |
| Merrillville                   | April 3  |
| Griffith                       | April 4  |
| Morton                         | April 5  |
| Portage—Wirt                   | April 18 |
| Rensselaer—Lowell—West Central | April 20 |
| Griffith—Merrillville          | April 22 |
| Crown Point—Calumet            | April 25 |
| Andean                         | April 26 |
| Rensselaer Invitational        | April 27 |
| Edison—East Gary               | April 29 |
| Munster                        | April 30 |
| Tech—Noll                      | May 1    |
| Dyer Invitational              | May 3    |
| Lake Central—Lowell            | May 6    |
| Gavit—Merrillville             | May 7    |
| Chesterton                     | May 9    |
| Morton—Hammond High            | May 10   |
| Sectional                      | May 14   |
| Rensselaer                     | May 16   |



BASEBALL—**BOTTOM ROW:** G. Kendrick, M. Cable, P. Roche, C. McShane, R. Ispas, G. Horn.  
**SECOND ROW:** Mr. L. Cable, head coach; Mr. R. Sekula, ass't coach; J. Skertich, D. Gilbert, R. Brosseau, R. Rone, D. Knuass, T. Juran (All Calumet Conference pitcher).

#### TRACK SCHEDULE

| TEAM                  | PLACE | DATE     |
|-----------------------|-------|----------|
| Michigan City—Wheeler | Here  | March 27 |
| Lake Central          | Here  | April 1  |
| Noll—Morton           | Noll  | April 4  |
| Griffith              | There | April 8  |
| East Gary             | Here  | April 11 |
| Chesterton            | There | April 15 |
| Portage               | Here  | April 18 |
| Highland Relays       | Here  | April 20 |
| 6 way meet            | Here  | April 22 |
| Chesterton Relays     | There | April 26 |
| Rensselaer Relays     | There | April 30 |
| Hammond Relays        | There | May 4    |
| Conference Divisional | Gavit | May 6    |
| Sectional             | Gavit | May 10   |
| Conference Finals     | Gavit | May 13   |
| Regional              | Gavit | May 17   |
| Clark                 | There | May 21   |

VARSITY TRACK—**BOTTOM ROW:** L. Loy, T. Schreffler, E. DeLauro, M. Patterson, J. Ceaser.  
**SECOND ROW:** R. Hodges, mgr.; T. Woolston, G. Shacklett, R. Sprainis, L. Mays, T. Zatkulak, K. Deuster, L. Starks, J. Stivers, B. Peterson, F. Fotis, T. Bickell, mgr. **THIRD ROW:** Mr. K. Syplut, ass't coach; D. Stutsman, B. Allen, M. Young, P. Mazalan, B. Szabo, D. Begala, D. Otto, R. Espitia, Mr. M. Poehlein, head coach.





# Organizations

Students are the atoms that combine with a faculty nucleus to make Highland High School function. First, as an institution of learning where it forms a community within its walls. But school is more than academic study. It is a place where students make lasting acquaintances, explore interests, and the only way this can occur is through student participation in organizations.

School life at Highland High is a time to join a group for most, and a time to share ideas. By this trans-action of thoughts, organizations are formed.

Organizations vary because individuals vary in personality, char-

acter and interest. Some organizations are established to honor students for achievements, others to provide a framework for a collective exchange of ideas and still others serve the community. No matter what the organizations' purpose however, members learn to accept responsibility and gain a feeling of belonging.

By this participation students reap an abundance of self-satisfaction. But the members are not the only ones who gain through this participation. Because new innovations of thought are expressed during activity period meetings, the club and school can expand to better meet the needs of the students and community.





# Student Council sponsors service, social projects

Meeting every other Monday night, the Student Council of Highland High kept several goals in mind. Their purpose: to settle any matters important to the student body. Their aim: to improve Highland High and make it a better foundation of learning.

To save the mailmen a few steps, the Student Council set up their own Christmas card mailing service and, thereby, helped spread Christmas cheer throughout the building.

By sponsoring their crowd-gathering Fun Fair, and their slave market at the Mardi Gras, the Student Council adopted a homeless Vietnamese orphan.

Spirit week before Sectionals and the revision of the Student Handbook were the novice ideas presented by the Student Council and well accepted by the student body.



*Performing her duties as recording secretary of Student Council, Senior Peggy Heim reads the minutes before the council members at one of their Monday night meetings.*



**STUDENT COUNCIL—BOTTOM ROW:** T. Arner, parliamentarian; P. Heim, recording secretary; J. Ripley, president; Mr. C. McGinley, sponsor; K. Roche, vice-president; V. Heimberger, corresponding secretary; M. Law, treasurer. **SECOND ROW:** R. Hayes, R. Silverman, J. Schumacher, L. Habzansky, B. Chamberlain, S. Sharp. **THIRD ROW:** P.

Rossner, L. Arnold, B. Cote, T. Paglis, K. Rodgers, P. Krivach, S. Bennett. **FOURTH ROW:** I. Jasaitis, B. Schwamberger, D. Snow, B. Bard, M. Schuster, S. Faust, J. Murphy. **FIFTH ROW:** J. Diekman, J. Harkin, L. Day, G. Rice, B. Schiller, J. Thompson, J. Miller.



**KEY CLUB—BOTTOM ROW:** Mr. M. Anderson, sponsor; T. McDonald, president; D. Ranich, secretary; K. Okamoto, treasurer. **SECOND ROW:** M. Wallen, R. Pope, L. Buttles, J. Ceaser, F. Clark, R. Harper, F. Fotis, M. Morow, S. Kulan, D. Summerfold. **THIRD ROW:** M. Lewerenz, B. Madura, J. Pelc, J. Thompson, D. Suplick, M. Cable, D. Oliver, W.

Schrock, B. Rezny, G. Hetrick. **FOURTH ROW:** K. Deceuster, M. Savin, D. Slamkowski, L. Day, G. Smith, G. Turean, A. Menzyk, C. Thomposn, J. Harkin, J. Ashmann, D. Silverman. **FIFTH ROW:** B. Kletzing, J. Guinn, L. Seberger, T. Slicko, J. Mesterharm, B. Kucer, S. Sietsma, D. Pearson, J. Harper, J. Ripley, J. Decauster.

## Christmas season brings Key Club's holly, wreath sales

"Deck the halls with boughs of holly!!!" With the coming of December and Christmas, Highland High School's Key Club once again undertook their holly and wreath sales, and by doing so, helped bolster Holiday spirit.

Backed by Kiwanis International, the Key Club performed its duties as a service club emphasizing the promotion of citizenship in the school, community, state, and country.

Increasing its membership by twenty-nine, the club initiated these new members and honored the parents of all members in a banquet at San Remo Restaurant.

Assisting their parent organization, the Highland Kiwanis, Key Clubbers sold peanuts and aided them in their annual Pancake Day.

Under the direction of Mr. Mel Anderson, sponsor; Tom McDonald, president; Terry Goddard, vice-president; Dave Ranich, secretary; and Kelly Okamoto, treasurer; the club's many service and social projects were carried out in their traditional manner.



Key club members Chuck Thompson and Gary Smith deliver Christmas cheer with their customer's holly as they endeavor to aid Highland citizens.

# NHS students battle faculty in basketball, teachers win



"The starting line-up for the Highland High School Faculty is . . ." And so began the basketball game between the faculty and the boys of the National Honor Society. The teachers reigned victorious, winning by a slight margin of 44-42.

Many hold the misconception that only "brains" receive membership into NHS. This membership is gained only by those second semester juniors and first semester seniors who rank high in leadership, service, and character; besides maintaining a 7.5 grade index. Fifty eight members of the class of '68 met these qualifications.

What!?!?! Highland High had students in the leading roles on a television show? It was true, last spring, three senior National Honor Society members appeared on the TV quiz show "It's Academic".

As a reward to all students holding a "B" average, the Society sponsored its annual Scholarship dinner which took place in the spring.

*Grabbing the ball away from Mr. J. Morris, Aug Moore, NHS team attempts to pass the ball to one of his fellow team mates.*



NHS—BOTTOM ROW: T. Zatkulak, treasurer; C. Germek, president; Mrs. L. Pol, sponsor; B. Benda, vice-president; J. Miller, secretary. SECOND ROW: E. Nemeth, S. Bennett, L. Downing, B. Elkins, C. Speigel, B. Terpstra, P. Heim, V. Heimberger, D. Pagan, L. Habzansky. THIRD ROW: P. Drapeau, G. Yuhasz, J. Robbins, J. Ceaser, B. Cote, R. Pope, K.

Hurt, K. Chiabai, J. Chrisman, R. Locasto. FOURTH ROW: S. Baade, P. Wayne, S. Bishop, J. Diekmann, M. Rietman, C. Stockham, T. Arner, M. Beretz, C. Chumbley, J. Bergin, D. Kelley. FIFTH ROW: M. Sheets, J. Muffett, A. Menzyk, A. Moore, E. Sawyer, G. Turcan, J. Ashmann, J. Ripley, M. Cable, R. Hodges, P. Lipski.



*Busily preparing the marquee at Griffith for the Quill and Scroll concert are Nancy Gillis and Patti Miller from Griffith High, and Jo Elyn Robbins and Bonnie Bard from Highland. The concert featured the University Singers from Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana.*

## Quill and Scroll sponsors singers in "Spectacular"

"The Quill and Scroll chapters of Highland High School and Griffith High School now take pleasure in presenting The University Singers . . ." Through the combined efforts of these two organizations, this "Spectacular" took place April 6 in the GHS auditorium.

Made up of juniors and seniors maintaining a major position on the SHIELD, TROJANAL, CENTAUR, or NEWS BUREAU, the Allen J. Warren Chapter of Quill and Scroll inducted twenty new members in a candle light ceremony.

Tears of joy, shock, happiness, and disappointment were seen at the annual Quill and Scroll banquet which took place on April 5 this spring. At this banquet, all publication positions were announced.

This organization was led by Jo Elyn Robbins, president; Bonnie Bard, vice-president; Kathy Chiabai, treasurer; Sally Bennett, secretary; and Mr. Richard Johns, sponsor.



**QUILL AND SCROLL—BOTTOM ROW:** V. Heimberger, B. Elkins, P. Rossner, J. Robbins, president; K. Chiabai, treasurer; S. Bennett, secretary; P. Heim, K. Black, L. Habzansky, D. Williams. **SECOND ROW:** N. Clark, V. Ginther, S. Kwolek, S. Parker, M. McFarland, N. Biggs, I. Weinstein

S. Baade, C. Nowak, G. Miller, J. Lomberger, C. Kula. **THIRD ROW:** A. Fullenwider, M. Kubiak, B. Cote, W. Branstrom, J. Boersma, M. Beretz, J. Klein, B. Rezy, C. Djak, J. Thompson, L. Beard, S. Bishop, J. Rabatin, D. Snow, C. McShane, L. Rincon, Mr. R. Johns, sponsor.



# Y-Teens wash faculty cars, supply Thanksgiving dinner



In order for the Y-Teens to present their Christmas skit before the patients of the Tri-State Manor Rest Home many after school practice sessions were necessary.

A Thanksgiving dinner for a destitute family and favors for the old and mentally retarded were among the thoughtful gestures performed by the Y-Teens during the past year.

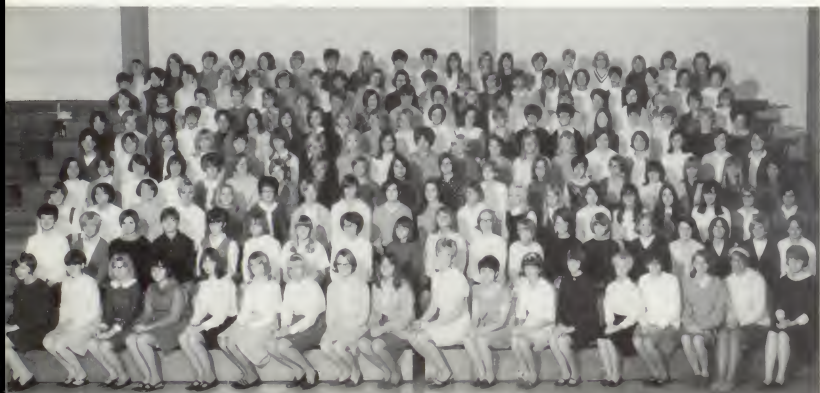
Affiliated with the Young Women's Christian Association, the main purpose of Y-Teens is to help each girl develop her own character.

Soggy sneakers, drenched clothes, and pneumonia-stricken girls were all results of the Y-Teens' car wash. Trying to make the day a little brighter for the teachers at Highland High School, the girls voluntarily washed the cars of all faculty members.

Proving that there is somebody who really cares, Y-Teen members furnished a turkey and all the trimmings to one of the less fortunate families of Hammond. The girls also distributed small favors to the patients of Tri-State Manor Rest Home, and to the students in the retarded class at various elementary schools.

**Y-TEENS - BOTTOM ROW:** N. Hruska, P. Miller, J. Muha, J. Youngman, J. McLean, D. Berry, B. Fistrovich, B. Jackson, secretary; D. Swarens, vice-president; Miss J. Gilliam, sponsor; D. Williams, president; L. Fennema, treasurer; P. Zagrovich, C. Ulbrich, L. Novack, N. Neilson, C. Duley, S. Wright. **SECOND ROW:** J. Schabel, B. Burke, J. Walz, G. Hilmes, K. Meide, B. Eaton, M. Gaskey, G. Puckett, J. Speigel, C. Davidson, S. Duley, B. Swart, M. Fashion, R. Hayes, K. Rhoten, L. Wothke, R. Lightcap, C. Zimmerman, J. Humphre. **THIRD ROW:** D. Cox, M. Sutton, L. Wiley, P. Wagner, T. Rzeszut, J. Preissler, P. Murn, C. Carroll, D. Kujawski, D. Harrington, K. Kovack, R. Willis, P. Krivich, L. Nelson, A. Gearhardt, L. McCullough, J. Redar, J. Russell, L. Nusbbaum. **FOURTH ROW:** S. Orban, L. Smiley, C. Secviar, L. Halas, D. Sknerski, J. Hawk, S. Sweeney, S. Jewell, M. Schmidt, C. Herman, B. Haralovich, D. Smith, J. Uskert, K. Turich, B. Cox, P. Molnar, B. Wahl, L. Paulsin, N. Paredes. **FIFTH ROW:** D. Miller, S. Matson, M. Kerosky, D. Roades, J. Nichols, J. Otto, P. Simpson, K. Tudor, L. Brunice, L.

Mosely, B. Murphy, V. West, F. Brannin, C. Urycki, P. Stevenson, L. Sporman, P. Stamper, K. Buehrle, C. Chumbley. **SIXTH ROW:** J. Cummins, J. Lightcap, V. Cornell, S. Arnold, G. Willer, B. Bishop, J. Bittner, C. Dietz, S. Michalec, D. Darchuck, C. Willis, J. Redar, G. Sweeney, G. Mercer, K. Little, L. Kennedy, P. Taylor, M. Stupeck, G. Cooper, J. Clendenen, D. Stepp. **SEVENTH ROW:** T. Evert, B. Johnson, S. Blickhahn, S. Stevenson, M. Sutton, B. Koostra, H. Mesman, P. Halasz, D. Biscan, J. Smith, M. Patz, J. Swarens, D. Snyder, C. Powell, S. Hagan, S. Kairschner, C. Nordstrom, H. Cebra, B. Barton. **EIGHTH ROW:** P. Denny, L. Kasper, D. King, R. Kingston, J. Schleuter, C. Schiller, K. Young, N. Siatta, L. Ray, L. Lorton, D. Campbell, S. Fisher, J. Bronson, K. Toth, B. Patterson, J. Cucule, S. Turich, M. Sweeney, W. Branstrom, D. Kairschner. **NINTH ROW:** J. Kach, H. Michel, D. Trocha, S. Frisinger, K. Dudzik, B. Cutrell, B. Schiller, K. Kucer, B. Hickman, B. Eisenhauer, J. Callison, D. Ross, R. Miller, J. Rowe, E. Rylander, S. Eller, M. Twarek, B. Lovrinich.







**SIGN PAINTERS—BOTTOM ROW:** S. Tarbuck, secretary-treasurer; J. Schabel, president; Miss M. Bluhm, sponsor; P. Barnes, vice-president; J. Deceuster. **SECOND ROW:** D. Williams, S. Conner, T. Rzeszut, A. Baade, S. Custer, K. Meade. **THIRD ROW:** S. Gambill, S. Fruth, L.

Wiley, P. Wagner, C. Luptak, V. Ginther, A. Moody. **FOURTH ROW:** L. Halas, N. Winkleman, G. Sweeney, J. Redar, L. Kennedy, A. Fullenwider, M. Clark. **FIFTH ROW:** M. Patz, S. Watson, B. Madura, W. Hranachak, E. Phillips, I. Jemenko, R. Girman, B. Kooistra.

## Sign Painters display creative talents in corridors



Picasso's, Rembrandt's, Da Vinci's, Van Gogh's of tomorrow—the Sign Painters of today.

The ripping of paper, the sound of a paint brush flowing swiftly across a sheet of construction paper, and the sharp crackle of staples fastening finished projects to bulletin boards, all give indications of hard working Sign Painters. Their willing and able talent is put to use by helping other school clubs and organizations advertise their activities.

Portraying the various seasons of the year, the Sign Painters utilized the halls, corridors, and windows of the school as a display case for their handwork and talent.

Miss Marjorie Bluhm, sponsor; directs the activities of the organization with the help of Jane Schabel, president; Pat Barnes, vice-president; and Sue Tarbuck, secretary-treasurer; club officers.

*Wax, brushes and imaginative ideas are displayed on the school windows, as the sign painters decorate for the yuletide season.*

## FBLA members donate "friends," sell taffy apples

"Would anyone having toys in fair condition please bring them to Mrs. Mason's room by December 15." Every morning for two weeks, this call was heard over the intercom. What was the reason for bringing these toys? The reason was for the Future Business Leaders of America's annual toy drive.

Willing to donate their "old friends" which they had been collecting since childhood, students offered games, dolls, and stuffed animals to be taken to various orphanages and children's hospitals in the area just in time for Christmas.

To help students better understand the opportunities and rewards a business career has to offer, and to help them become better community business leaders were the main goals and purposes the FBLA kept in mind throughout the year.



*Taffy-apple treats are enjoyed by FBLA recording secretary, Linda Nordstrom, and social director June Beacom, as president, Leslye Roderick; vice-president, Sue Rommelfanger; treasurer, Janet Johnson; and corresponding secretary, Bev Terpstra conduct the annual taffy-apple sale.*

**FBLA—BOTTOM ROW:** J. Beacom, social director; B. Terpstra, corresponding secretary; L. Roderick, president; Mrs. D. Mason, sponsor; S. Rommelfanger, vice-president; L. Nordstrom, recording secretary; J. Johnson, treasurer. **SECOND ROW:** B. Eaton, J. Russell, L. Martin, J. Clendenen, J. Lakin, D. Ledbetter, K. McGee, R. Owens, J. Redar, C. Bauer, J. Humphrey. **THIRD ROW:** S. Ewing, P. Leam, C. Willis, D. Krucik, D. Berry, R. Taylor, H. Michel, E. Krawczykowski, K. Walsko, J. Walz, K. Phillips. **FOURTH ROW:** M. Kralik, J. Lewandowski, N. Ferguson, B. Blink, G. Jones, D. Sknerski, K. Anderson, B. Terpstra, K. Takacs, V. Speroff, M. Stupeck. **FIFTH ROW:** G. Sweeney, S. Matson, D. Kaichner, M. Twarek, V. Spencer, M. Gail, J. Mercer, T. Richards, F. Turner, D. Trocha, J. Redar, M. Sweeney.





**FTA—BOTTOM ROW:** S. Sharp, R. Goolik, J. Nastyn, F. Rossner, J. Schumacher, E. Nemeth, C. Spiegel, R. Silverman, M. Kubiak, secretary; J. Diekmann, president; Miss A. Braunschwarth, sponsor; Miss F. Athans, sponsor; S. Baade, vice-president; P. Rossner, treasurer; C. Nowak historian; D. Slacian, B. Elkins, J. Roll, L. Brownlee, C. Davidson. **SECOND ROW:** K. Rhoten, L. Downing, K. Parchem, D. Pagan, G. Barrett, D. Zaley, M. Minter, J. Kelleman, P. Bertin, S. Pagan, B. Bodley, K. Olivotto, L. McCullough, A. Gearhart, L. Herrmann, J. Ambler, R. Carbone, S. Peterson. **THIRD ROW:** G. Espitia, G. Ispas, L. Wasko, N. Clark, D. Darchuck, R. Hoogewerf, L. Halas, D. Roades, J. Rowe, L. Ross, D. Mills, S. Stanley, C. Suroviak, T. Bickell, D. Stockham, K. Ambler, C. Secviar, B. Verdel. **FOURTH ROW:** M. Callaway, S. Longland, J. Langlois, L. Milich, S. Parker, J. Chrisman, N. Biggs, V. Ginther, D. Michalak, M. McFarland, B. Johnson, J. Preissler, L. Martin, T. Paglis, J. Hope, T. Schau, S. Henry, A. Fullenwider. **FIFTH ROW:** S. Kress, S. Fleming, K. Takas, K. Kornmann, S. Decker, D. Dunn, B. Bard, K. Rodgers, C. Repetto, J. Olszewski,

R. Smith, R. Benson, J. Winkelman, N. Winkelman, C. Luptak, J. Robbins, L. Steen, K. Black. **SIXTH ROW:** S. Hagan, I. Donica, L. Paulsin, J. Pandak, M. Ulber, S. Engerski, P. Miller, E. Ripley, J. Wanner, V. Cornell, G. Murphy, J. Bitner, S. Molnar, J. Bergin, C. Lukasik, P. Horst, D. Terpsira. **SEVENTH ROW:** S. Gambrell, A. Baade, H. Adamchik, L. Wiley, G. Jones, C. Dietz, S. Michalec, R. Flis, S. Simatovich, S. Watson, L. Nebelsik, D. King, M. Clark, B. Furnas, S. Arnold, K. Dudzik, J. Farkas. **EIGHTH ROW:** C. Spence, P. Pevak, L. Lorton, L. Ray, D. Ross, J. Schleuter, E. Rylander, J. Rabatin, K. Chibabai, D. Kelley, J. Miller, P. Lipski, J. Boersma, C. Wargo, M. Pruey, P. Wayne, S. Kowlek, K. Urban. **NINTH ROW:** C. Germek, R. Peterson, S. Bishop, M. Beretz, C. Kula, J. Swarens, M. Patz, D. Biscan, B. Kooistra, R. Hodges, W. Schmidt, S. Laymon, B. Madura, L. Muffett, R. Harper, N. Moberg, C. Latimer. **TENTH ROW:** A. Menzyk, J. Toth, B. Smith, M. Law, E. Sampias, J. Ripley, J. Deceuster, D. Ashmann, R. Timm, K. Kucer, B. Kucer, J. Balog, J. Irish, L. Schmidt, W. Hrachak, L. Jemenko, B. Hickman, J. Trgovich.

## Future teachers given head start in chosen career



Pausing at the desk of one of her elementary students, cadet teacher Carol Suroviak explains in detail one of the many concepts third graders find hard to understand. These teachers help the regular classroom teachers in any way possible by typing tests, checking them, and running any errands.

"What kind of courses will I need for college? Is it better to go to a private university or a state school? What can I expect to get out of four years of college besides a license to teach?" These were a few of the many questions that plagued members of the Future Teachers of America. With the assistance of Miss Alpha Braunschwarth and Miss Fontaine Athans, sponsors, and the many guest speakers, these, and all other questions were answered.

To give students a head start on their teaching career, FTA allowed senior members of the organization to be aids to regular teachers by performing numerous small tasks for them.

In order to recognize outstanding members of the club, the Future Teachers of America gave two \$100 scholarships to graduating seniors.

Finishing up the year's activities were a soc-hop and the annual faculty breakfast. This breakfast was in accordance with National Teacher Appreciation Week.

# FHH members visit area hospitals, cheer children



Picking out their favorite recipes from the cookbooks the Future Homemakers of Highland sold last Christmas presents are Jane Skelly, Barb Lovrinich, Judy Carlson, Lois Yoder, and Janet Klein.

"Being a housewife will be a cinch. There's nothing to it, all you have to do is cook, sew, make formulas, and know how to change diapers." By belonging to the Future Homemakers of Highland, the seventy members found out the truth about homemaking, that it is not as easy as it seems, and they also discovered many of the special arts that help make homemaking enjoyable.

Taking time out, the girls sponsored a mother-daughter tea last spring that gave the girls and their mothers a chance to get to know and understand each other a little better. Vists were taken to several area hospitals by the girls to help the sick, to cheer the children, and to offer their assistance wherever and whenever it was needed.

"What should I buy my mother for Christmas this year?" Plaguing many students last December, this question was readily answered by the FHH. They sold four varieties of cookbooks, meats, vegetables, salads, and desserts.



FHH—BOTTOM ROW: J. Reed, K. Bellinghausen, L. Wothke, P. Luyster, J. Skelly, secretary; J. Klein, president; J. Carlson, vice-president; L. Yoder, treasurer; J. Spiegel, L. Habzansky, C. Zimmerman. SECOND ROW: L. Nushbaum, L. Novak, D. Williams, J. Maha, K. Neyhart, B. Martin, P. Murn, N. Paredes, N. Neilson, D. Kujawski, B. Naramore. THIRD ROW: B. Naramore, T. Rzeszut, S. Simpson, B. Burke, J. Hawk, A. Moody, J. Youngman, D. Hadarich, V. West, L. Sporman, P. Stamper. FOURTH

ROW: L. Nelson, P. Simpson, R. Willis, D. Teffteller, M. Schmeidel, L. Sullivan, T. Ralich, S. Rooks, A. Puntillo, D. Gregory, L. Kasper. FIFTH ROW: M. Stevens, L. Moseley, K. Kovack, B. Murphy, P. Zagrovich, K. Reid, L. Bruncie, K. Tudor, J. Otto, M. Sutton, F. Brannin. SIXTH ROW: P. Habel, B. Elish, P. Sowa, D. Drake, S. Syvertson, B. Cutrell, N. Siatta, B. Lovrinich, W. Stutsman, N. Zavensky, V. Scheeringa.



# MCC members donate for Christmas, Easter baskets



*Amidst a bulletin board describing embryology in minute detail, Mr. Jon Hendrix, Richard Pope and Linda Parker examine one of the many wonders of science and medicine, a new born baby.*

"Scissors . . . scalpel . . . needle . . ."

With the assistance of these medical tools, members of the Medical Careers Club practiced for the coming day when they will be able to perform operations like the ones they practiced to help and possibly even save lives of others.

Since all members plan a profession which involves service to others, they now get a taste of what it will be like by donating food for Christmas and Easter baskets for the needy.

Several field trips were taken by club members to various medical institutions. They also took a day off to go on a picnic. All members and their guests were invited.

Mr. Jon Hendrix, original club sponsor was aided this year by two new sponsors, Miss Emily Gibson, and Mr. Larry Johnson. Activities were also directed by Richard Pope, president; Sally Newberry, vice-president; Debby Ross, recording secretary; Karen Lassanske, corresponding secretary; and Linda Parker, treasurer.



*MCC—BOTTOM ROW: L. Parker, treasurer; D. Ross, recording secretary; R. Pope, president; Mr. J. Hendrix, sponsor; S. Newberry, vice-president; K. Lassanske, corresponding secretary. SECOND ROW: J. Paylo, S. Duley, E. Huisman, R. Hayes, P. Krivach, M. Meschi, K. Bellinghausen, N. Moes, H. Girmann, M. Gaskey. THIRD ROW: L. O'Donnell, G. Cooper, E. Shreffler, T. Bickell, K. Quinn, J. Nichols, P. Gallagher, C. Howarth, M. Erwin, K. Higgins. FOURTH ROW: D. Miller, C. Ogden, T. Evert, S. Parchem, M. Houck, D. Pope, G. Mercer, S. Hurley, S. Blickhahn, M. Kerosky. FIFTH ROW: D. Snow, P. Ramstad, M. Rietman, M. Lewerenz, M. Gos, M. Piech, S. France, R. Ogden, B. Cote, F. Johnson, L. Boggs.*





**SHIELD BUSINESS—***BOTTOM ROW:* D. Toth, C. Davidson, G. Miller, L. Smiley, J. Zajac, G. Cooper, D. Moffett, R. Goolik, S. Sharp. *SECOND ROW:* M. Ulber, W. Mitchell, J. Preissler, L. Herrman, L. Dunning, L. Antone, K. Sarnecki, B. Naramore, L. Brownlee. *THIRD ROW:* P.

Norcutt, S. Orban, B. Orban, P. Jaynes, D. Terpstra, L. Rincon, L. Pahl, E. Krawczykowski, J. Torkelson. *FOURTH ROW:* S. Engerski, M. Schuster, N. Moberg, J. Schleuter, D. Welsh, L. Ray, L. Sien, K. Strapon, C. Dietz.



Aided by new equipment, photography editor assistant, Nancy Biggs; photography editor, Vicki Heimberger; head photographer, John Thompson; and photography coordinator, Laura Rincon, strive to produce high quality pictures for the 1968 Shield.

Section editors Corrine Nowak, Linda Wasko, Joanne Lomberger, Jan Janott, Ellen Nemeth, Dave Ranich, and Nancy Clark work on copy assignments to meet deadlines.



Sales manager, Sue Parker, and her assistant, Diane Swisher, business manager assistant, Janyce Hope, and business manager, Barb Elkins comprise the '68 Shield business staff that is responsible for the year-book finances and sales.



# Increased size, colored pictures mark '68 yearbook

"1 . . . 2 . . . 3 . . . 4 . . . 5 . . . 6 . . . 7 . . . 8 . . . we'll be a little bit better!" Presented before the student body last fall, "A Day in the Life of Humpdink Strudel" boosted sales of the '68 Shields to a record high of 1100 copies.

Pictures, copy, and white space—the three elements that comprise a yearbook. After much earnest thought it was decided to add color pictures and eight more pages.

Another high standard was set for the '68 book when the ratings from last year's Shield came in. The '67 was honored with an All-American from the NSPA, an A+ rating from the NSYA, and a Medalist rating from the CSPA.

Always eager to learn more about student publications, many Shield staff members spent two weeks of living yearbook, talking yearbook, and thinking yearbook at Indiana, Ball State, and Michigan State Universities.



Making the final decisions on the '68 Shield are major editors, Gail Miller, assistant layout and art editor; Peg Heim, co-layout and art editor; Sally Bennett, editor-in-chief; Suzanne Kwolek, co-layout and art editor; Betty Cote, associate copy editor; and Bonnie Bard, copy editor.



Telephoning prospective advertisers. Advertising Manager Sherri Kress and her assistant Betty Bodley perform financial functions.



SHIELD EDITORIAL—BOTTOM ROW: R. Goolik, J. Nastyn, D. Moffett, G. Cooper, L. Brownlee, H. Girman, C. Davidson, F. Rossner, D. Toth. SECOND ROW: M. Minter, J. Zajac, D. Ledbetter, J. Pandak, J. Torkelson, P. Gallagher, P. Murn, B. Naramore, M. Ulber. THIRD ROW: L. Herrman, J. Lakin, J. Preissler, D. Banks, S. Peterson, T. Evert, P. Jaynes, P. Norcutt, C. Hanks. FOURTH ROW: S. Faust, M. Schuster, L. Ray, D. Gilbert, S. Markley, D. Reitman, D. Pele, J. Wenner, S. Engerski, E. Ripley.



*Applying the techniques of good photography, Trojanal photographer Charles Dijk readies his camera to take another picture.*

*Checking galleys and writing headlines are jobs of Trojanal's major editors, Kathy Chiabai, editor; Margaret Beretz, production manager; Sue Baade, editor; and Sue Bishop, managing editor.*

*Deleta Williams, business manager and her assistant, Andrea Fullenwider, Wendie Branstrom, circulation manager; Deb Roades and Iris Jasits, advertising managers; Gayle Ispas and Helen Adamchik, exchange editors contact advertisers and keep books in order.*

## Staff's time, effort prove rewarding as Trojanal receives All-American

It's once again Thursday night, the major editors of the Trojanal are at the printers, busily checking the galley proofs for any last minute corrections necessary before the final copies are printed.

Football, Christmas tree ornaments, basketballs, and mortar board ads are all signs of special editions of the Trojanal. A regular four page paper is distributed every Friday morning except on the days of these six to twelve page editions.

For the first time in the ten year

history of the Trojanal, the paper was given the highest honor possible to high school publications, an All-American rating by the NSPA. A first place ranking was also received from the CSPA rating service.

Attending institutes at Indiana, Ball State, Michigan State, and Northern Illinois Universities, several editors and staff members gained the experience necessary in order to produce an award-winning newspaper which the student body and other readers will enjoy.





*Accepting new responsibilities and demands as page editors on the Trojanal staff are Dee Snow, Karen Lassanske, Mike Goss, Vonnie Ginther, Chuck McShane, Cindy Germek, and Pat Rossner.*



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Ripley. THIRD ROW: S. Orban, L. Smiley, D. Roades, T. Evert, P. Murvin, C. Dietz, J. Roll, C. Ogden, J. Preissler, L. Pahl. FOURTH ROW: S. Engerski, M. Schuster, A. Fullenwider, E. Studer, D. Skroba, S. Markley, D. Reitman, J. Callison, I. Jasaitis, N. Biggs, G. Mercer.

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D. Banko. FOURTH ROW: V. Ginther, P. Gallagher, L. Dunning, C. Kula, E. Krawczykowski, P. Miller, D. Terpstra, P. Jaynes, C. Ogden, H. Adam-Chik, J. Preissler. FIFTH ROW: S. Turich, E. Ripley, J. Wenner, S. Faust, D. Pele, M. King, S. Markley, E. Studer, S. Bishop, M. Schuster, S. Engerski.





# CENTAUR staff completes magazine at school

From the first copy blocks to the final copies of the Centaur, hot off the press, everything was done at the high school. Thanks to the new graphic arts department, these Centaurs no longer had to be sent out to be printed.

Creative students and a hard working staff assisted Jo Ellyn Robbins, editor-in-chief; and Judy Rabatin, associate editor, in their preparation of this year's Centaur.

Keeping the town of Highland and its neighboring communities informed as to what was in the news at Highland High School proved to be the greatest job for the News Bureau. Each week news releases were distributed to the Hammond Times, the Highland Journal, and the Calumet Press to be published.

Major editors during 1967-68 were Karen Rodgers, first semester general manager; Laurel Habzansky, second semester manager; Pat Corten, feature editor; and Cheryl Kula, photography editor.



*Linda Steen, Judy Rabatin, Jo Ellyn Robbins, and Lynda Beard, major editors of this year's Centaur eagerly await the first copies of the general interest magazine, which were printed for the first time in the newly-completed graphic arts department, furnished with all new equipment.*



*CENTAUR - BOTTOM ROW: D. Toth, F. Rossner, L. Smiley, M. Ulber, K. Olivatto, G. Miller, L. Habzansky, S. Sharp. SECOND ROW: W. Mitchell, P. Gallagher, L. Dunning, M. McFarland, J. Torkelson, L. Antone, C. Dietz, S. Orban, J. Preissler, P. Murn, P. Norcutt. THIRD ROW: L.*

*Rincon, L. Milich, J. Hope, C. Kula, D. Terpstra, J. Boersma, E. Rylander, B. Hickman, L. Ray, D. Snow, J. Wenner, S. Turich, M. Kubiak, I. Weinstein, E. Krawczykowski.*





*Submitting all around information to area newspapers, Pat Corten, Karen Rodgers, Laurel Habzansky, and Judy Boersma keep the public informed as to what is happening within the school.*

*Dedicated to making the Centaur a huge success, head photographer Kevin Mackowiak keeps in mind the meaning of quality as he makes the proper preparations for enlarging negatives.*



*Relating general information of Highland High to the Calumet Region, Irene Weinstein and Kathy Olivotto, Journal correspondents; Geoff Rice, sports correspondent to the Journal; Mary McFarland, Malanie Kubiak, Karen Black, and Janet Klein, Hammond Times correspondents; and Mike Sheets, Calumet Press correspondent, prepare to send out their next releases.*

*Preceding production time, Art editor Jon Ashmann adds finishing touches to the Centaur cover while Layout editor Diane Dunn checks page plans and pictures.*

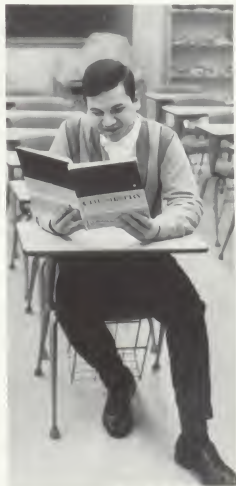




Comparing the new techniques they acquired this summer while attending various drama institutes at the University of Denver, Indiana University, and Northwestern University are John Bozak, Linda Steen, and John Ripley, drama enthusiasts.



A project on high energy physics was completed by Richard Pope, senior, at the science workshop he attended at Indiana University.



Participating in a one-week journalism workshop at Northern Illinois University last July, Mary McFarland, Irene Weinstein, Dee Snow, Karen Lassanske, and Vonnice Ginther learned the basic fundamentals of producing award-winning student publications.

## Students travel to various university campuses to gain knowledge, skills



*Taking part in two one week workshops at I.U. Jean Diekman, Sally Bennett, Jean Miller, Greg Turean, Tony Zatkulak, and Andy Menzyk were Highland's delegates at Girls' and Boys' State.*



*Finding the answer to her problem on the slide rule, Sue Kwolek practices the skills which she developed this summer at a math workshop at the University of Michigan.*

Class lectures, assigned homework, free time, and planned recreation, all combined to make every institute attended by a Highland High student worthwhile.

Learning how to take, develop, and crop pictures, make page layouts, write captions and feature stories, journalism students attended workshops at Ball State, Indiana, Michigan State, and Northern Illinois Universities.

A knowledge of the Indiana state government was gained by six juniors, chosen for their interest in history, who participated in Girls' and Boys' State at Indiana University.

Acquiring several of the intriguing and intricate styles of dramatics and music, and the more advanced techniques of mathematics, Highland High students traveled to the University of Denver and Indiana University to gain these skills.



*Senior John Ripley spent two weeks this summer at Indiana University studying the procedures of running a well organized Student Council and government.*



*Journalism workshops at Michigan State, Indiana, and Ball State Universities were attended by Gail Miller, Nancy Clark, and Linda Wasko, (BOTTOM ROW), Pat Rossner, Sally Bennett, Bonnie Bard, Kathy Chiabai, Sue Bishop, and Sue Baade, (TOP ROW). Gail, Nancy, Linda, Sally, and Bonnie acquired many yearbook basics, while Pat, Sue, Kathy and Sue learned about newspaper production techniques and new innovations in journalism.*

## Drama club aids in producing two successful plays

Lights! Camera! Action! And so another play presented by the Drama Club got under way. The weeks spent in preparation finally paid off as the young actors and actresses again brought the house down.

Designing sets, sewing costumes, arranging lighting, and endless nights of rehearsing were preparations taken by the Drama Club members for their first play of the year, "Harvey", staged on November 15, 16, and 17.

"We Have Always Lived In a Castle," presented in the spring, two soc-hops, and a booth at the Mardi-Gras were also included in the list of activities sponsored by the Drama Club.

Membership in the National Thespian Society was issued to ten students as a reward for exceptional work in the field of dramatics. Thespians were led by Pam Drapeau, president; John Ripley, vice-president; and Linda Steen, secretary-treasurer, and inspired by Mrs. Annabelle Shone, sponsor.



**THESPIANS**—**BOTTOM ROW:** Linda Steen, secretary-treasurer; Pam Drapeau, president; Mrs. A. Shone, John Ripley, vice-president. **SECOND ROW:** Gail Yuhasz, Margaret Beretz, Tom Arner, Joel Deceuster, Ken Clark, Billie Sue Furnas.



Tom Sanders, stage crew head; Brad Kucer, props manager; Claudia Ulbrich, assistant props manager; and Joel Deceuster, stage manager receive much experience and enjoyment by participating in backstage work and serving as the framework of the drama production.







Linda Parker, publicity chairman; Gail Mercer, costume manager; and Walter Schmidt, lighting technician view the portrait of Elwood P. Dowd and Harvey.

Organizing a club of over 200 members is the task of drama club officers Billie Sue Furnas, treasurer; Margaret Beretz, president; Joel Decruster, vice president; and Gail Yuhasz, secretary.



Elwood P. Dowd, alias Tom Arner, decides to replace his mother's portrait with a picture of his imaginary friend Harvey.

Applying make-up, a rare experience for Kevin Mackowiak, is an essential step in changing his character to match the role he is portraying.







At one of their regular meetings discussing *The Grapes of Wrath* by John Steinbeck are Annette Moody, Margaret Beretz, Mrs. Carolyn Slys, Gail Yuhasz, and Kathy Chiabai.



"No, no, you've got it all wrong," complains Gail Yuhasz to Margaret Beretz as they debate the main conflict in one of the novels read by the Literary Discussion Club.

## Discussion club informs members on literary works

"In the souls of the people the grapes of wrath are filling and growing heavy, growing heavy for the vintage." This quote, being one of the key-note sentences from John Steinbeck's *The Grapes of Wrath*, valued much debate from the members of the Literary Discussion Club.

Delving deeply into the plots, themes and ideas of *The Crucible*, *Babi Yar*, *As I Lay Dying*, and *The Power and the Glory* gave students an opportunity to further their studies and enjoyment of unusual works along with many literary masterpieces.

Conducted by Chairman Gail Yuhasz, and sponsored by teachers of the English Department, the club met twice a month to discuss these books.

Members of the organization consisted of students who have maintained an 8.0 grade average in English.

## Second year speech students take part in local, state, national contests

Can it really be Scarlett O'Hara participating in the Highland High School speech meet? Though the dialogue is similar, the atmosphere leads you to believe that it is only a speech team member running through her dramatic reading entry.

As the speech team traveled to schools in the surrounding area, members participated in these contests by giving speeches or debates.

Students were able to choose from several categories for their speeches. Among them were poetry, original oratory, debate, and girls' and boys' extemporaneous.

Not being a formally organized club, the speech team was open to all those who desired membership. These members participated in local, state, and National competition, and thus collected points for the Calumet Forensics League, and the National Forensics League.

*Running through her speech before the day of the meet, Rosemary Locasto checks to see if her presentation contains any flaws or errors.*



**SPEECH TEAM—**BOTTOM ROW: P. Drapeau, Mrs. A. Shore, sponsor; B. Bard  
**SECOND ROW:** C. Bonner, C. Dietz, A. Mongaraz, G. Yuhasz. **THIRD ROW:** B. Furnas, J. Deceuster, M. Beretz, T. Arner.



## Christmas letter sent to soldiers from all students

What was made of white drawing paper, approximately six feet long, and had more signatures than the Declaration of Independence? Why, the Social Science Club's Christmas letter, of course!! After being signed by practically every student at Highland High School, this letter was sent to the fighting men in Viet Nam.

This club's goal was to encourage the study of Social Sciences in order to create an interest in government, world problems, and current events.

Over the many bustling sounds at the Mardi Gras, the sound of popcorn popping could be heard coming from the Social Science Club's booth. The organization also sponsored the yearly car wash to help raise funds.

With the help of Larry Valiska, president; Bill Madura, vice-president; Karen Parchem, secretary; Nelda Crider, treasurer; and sponsors, Mr. Eugene Kelly, and Mr. David Young, the club's many social and service projects were successfully carried out.



*Adding their signatures to the Social Science Club's Christmas Letter which was sent to the United States soldiers in Viet Nam are Wendie Branstrom, Bill Madura, club vice-president, and Karen Parchem, secretary.*



**SOCIAL SCIENCE CLUB—BOTTOM ROW:** Mr. D. Young, sponsor; Mr. E. Kelly, sponsor; L. Valiska, president; B. Madura, vice-president;

K. Parchem, secretary. **SECOND ROW:** C. Ogden, L. Nebelsiek, M. Gutzmer, B. Kucer, J. Nebelsiek, W. Branstrom, L. Kasper.

# Industrial Arts, Science Clubs sponsor programs



**SCIENCE CLUB**—**BOTTOM ROW:** S. Kwolek, secretary; B. Benda, president; Mr. J. Bianchetta, sponsor; Mr. W. Butcher, sponsor; B. Rezy, vice-president; C. Stockham, treasurer. **SECOND ROW:** J. Novosel, J. Winkelman, S. Horst, N. Winkelman, K. Gawthrop. **THIRD ROW:** C. Wargo, M. Morow, R. Pope, E. Djak, P. Ramstad, B. Johnson. **FOURTH ROW:** R. Schwamberger, P. Lipski, T. Bartolac, C. Djak, M. Reitman, F. Clark. **FIFTH ROW:** R. Hodges, R. Tully, T. Twarek, J. Irish, P. Yant, W. Schmidt.

$Zn(s) + 2Ag^+ = Zn^{2+} + 2Ag(s)$ —Seeing something like this on a test would leave many Highland High students breathless, they wouldn't know where to begin. But to the members of the Science Club, equations like this one say a great deal.

Radioactive research and nuclear fission were points of concern confronting chemists at Argonne National Laboratories last May when senior members of the club visited there.

Throughout the year, guest speakers lectured on a variety of subjects, including such topics as air and water pollution, and atomic research.

Joining the numerous other organizations at Highland High School was the Industrial Arts Club, formed to widen and deepen the interests and knowledge of students in this field.

First officers of the club were Ron Brown, president; Jim Harper, vice-president; Jim Guinn, secretary; Don Zisoff, treasurer; and Mr. Tom Johnson and Mr. Phillip Rush, sponsors.



**INDUSTRIAL ARTS CLUB**—**BOTTOM ROW:** Mr. P. Rush, sponsor; J. Harper, vice-president; R. Brown, president; J. Guinn, secretary; D. Zisoff, treasurer; Mr. T. Johnson, sponsor. **SECOND ROW:** S. Custer, C. Divine, G. Horn, R. Calvin, G. Hetrick, O. Harris, E. Djak, G. McDaniel, D. Larman. **THIRD ROW:** D. Church, G. Branson, J. Orban, G. Lindsey,

B. Krawczykowski, J. Swalek, G. Shacklett, M. Pavlica, B. Bishop, J. Luptak. **FOURTH ROW:** C. Lattimer, J. Nowell, B. Bolini, B. Phillips, J. Rachau, J. Pele, T. Mitchell, G. Clausen, L. Cergizan, L. Muffett. **FIFTH ROW:** F. Crawford, D. Bronson, D. Ciskos, D. Pearson, G. Warnecke, M. Ross, M. Schaller, D. Pender, C. Jackson, M. Senetar, B. Hobbs.





Busily decorating the traditional German Club Christmas tree, Mrs. Helen Beretz, sponsor, pauses a moment to straighten an ornament.



**GERMAN CLUB—BOTTOM ROW:** P. Mazalan, sergeant-at-arms; P. Griffin, treasurer; S. Longland, president; Mrs. H. Beretz, sponsor; J. Harkin, R. Pope, secretary. **SECOND ROW:** N. Mies, D. Poole, D. Hodgetts, J. Schabel, D. Krucik, J. Preissler, P. Drapeau, K. Gawthrop, K. McGee, M. Minter. **THIRD ROW:** C. Eller, B. Cote, D. Kelley, M. Ritche, H. Adamchik, C. Barnett, D. Pope, B. Barton, L. Pahl, P. Norcutt. **FOURTH ROW:** R. McQuiston, C. Quandt, P. Ramstad, C. Schiller, W. Winters, F. Fotis, vice president; J. Schleuter, L. Ray, K. McQuiston, S. Hurley, J. Nichols. **FIFTH ROW:** T. Steiber, G. Klacik, B. Combs, J. Brenner, J. Irish, B. Kucer, R. Boston, T. Slicko, W. Schmidt, J. Trgovich, B. Madura.



**SPANISH CLUB—BOTTOM ROW:** J. Ambler, K. Roche, J. Spiegel, J. Deceuster, program chairman; S. Arnold, secretary; R. Locasto, president; Mrs. E. Casiano, sponsor; K. Lassanske, vice-president; J. Bergin, treasurer; B. Bodley, M. Lovrinich. **SECOND ROW:** S. Simatovich, G. Espitia, G. Puckett, H. Girmann, M. Gaskey, J. Provo, J. Taylor, F. Rossner, C. Davidson, M. Ciucki, D. Kartje, S. Duley, K. Rhoten, K. Bellinghausen. **THIRD ROW:** R. Owens, D. Slacian, C. Watson, B. Cox, C. Spiegel, A. Paredes, J. Pandak, D. Krejci, M. Ulber, L. McCullough, L. Anderko, M. Meschi, B. Peterson, P. Bertin. **FOURTH ROW:** L. Ross, C. Hanks, M.

Clark, J. Meads, C. Nowak, C. Eatinger, D. Paglis, D. Stockham, K. Ambler, L. Preiss, S. Orban, S. Yakimow, J. Bozak, P. Rippe. **FIFTH ROW:** K. Whitener, I. Jasaitis, B. Furnas, A. Staterblom, P. Gregory, W. Hranchak, S. Laynon, D. Bell, M. Law, B. Prange, P. Barnes. **SIXTH ROW:** K. Rodgers, C. Repetto, L. Rincon, J. Swatens, D. King, V. Corneli, B. Cutrell, H. Cebrá, J. Cuculic, L. Buttles, B. Jacobs, G. Rozhon, G. Paylo, M. Bandeniek. **SEVENTH ROW:** S. Michalec, R. Flis, J. Bittner, L. Halas, L. Paulsin, A. Mongaraz, J. Wenner, D. Terpsira, D. Morrow, L. Gunter, M. Patz, C. Kula, W. Branstrom, L. Nebelsick.



# Knowledge of France, Germany, Spain interests all club members

"Hola!" "Bonjour!" "Geuten morgen!" No matter how it is said, "hello" in any language is a greeting to old and new friends alike. A common interest in the language, customs, and people of Spain, France, or Germany was the starting point for fun-filled activities and learning.

Although a fat ox was not paraded throughout the halls as is the custom in France, members of the French Club captured the gay atmosphere of the Mardi Gras last spring.

Striving to create better understanding and relations, the Spanish

Club offered a warm welcome to Chris Repetto, Juan Molina, and Amparo Orvalle, exchange students from "South of the Border." Soc-hops and the annual Style Show and Card Party helped raise funds to send Cindy Spiegel, senior, to South America.

Celebrating the Holiday season with true German flavor, members of the German Club presented the Christmas Story, followed by the making of German Christmas cookies. A field trip to the German district of Chicago helped enhance the members' understanding of German culture.

*Showing off their muscle power, an alumnus and junior Jim Darnell destroy the car from the Lettermen's project in the French Club's Mardi Gras. Several school clubs and organizations sponsor booths in the activity for money making purposes.*



**FRENCH CLUB—BOTTOM ROW:** D. Ashmann, parliamentarian; R. Wilis, secretary; L. Downing, president; Mrs. A. Korrelics, sponsor; K. Kovack, vice-president; S. Fleming, treasurer. **SECOND ROW:** S. Sharp, S. Kress, M. Callaway, R. Silverman, R. Hayes, J. Nastyn, R. Goolik, B. Chamberlain, K. Bellinghausen, L. Brownlee. **THIRD ROW:** G. Barrett, D. Pakan, K. Parchem, D. Zaley, L. Hastings, M. Erwin, K. Black, A. Bodley, P. Heim, G. Cooper. **FOURTH ROW:** D. Harrington, B. Fastovich, P. Kossner, V. Kammer, K. Wasko, G. Miller, G. Mercer, C. Suroviak, B. Elkins, B. Verceel. **FIFTH ROW:** J. Clendenen, S. Pakan, S. Peterson, C. Nordstrom, L. Arnold, P. Miller, E. Ripley, D. Darchuck, R. Hoogewerf, L.

Wasko. **SIXTH ROW:** N. Clark, L. Tolley, S. Engerski, M. Schuster, L. Steen, S. Henry, M. McFarland, T. Kzeszut, B. Rich, R. Silverman. **SEVENTH ROW:** J. Hope, T. Paglis, D. Mills, J. Langlois, S. Stanley, L. Milich, S. Molnar, P. McCandless, J. Nelson, L. Dunning. **EIGHTH ROW:** S. Gambrell, L. Spindler, M. Stallone, S. Rooks, J. Schumacher, N. Blakely, B. Gamble, L. Boggs, D. Pelc, C. Bonner. **NINTH ROW:** C. Spence, P. Revak, L. Lorton, J. Miller, D. Ross, E. Rylander, J. Rabatin, K. Chiabai, J. Boersma, L. Muffett. **TENTH ROW:** R. Harper, S. Bishop, M. Beretz, J. Diekman, R. Ogden, A. Menzyk, J. McDonald, M. Lewerenz, K. Kucer, T. Sanders, M. Piech.



# Vocal concerts interest audience, enlighten participants



**TROJAN NOTES**—*BOTTOM ROW:* S. Duley, D. DeVries, P. Bertin, B. Vercel. *SECOND ROW:* S. Wright, L. Dunning, D. Steppe. *THIRD ROW:* J. Clendenen, L. Tolley, J. Smith, J. Preissler.



**HIGHLANDERS**—*BOTTOM ROW:* D. Pakan, R. Hoogewerf, R. Silverman, M. Calloway. *SECOND ROW:* C. Mitchell, S. Fleming, D. Dar-chuck. *THIRD ROW:* P. Griffin, S. Bishop, D. Wynder, D. Swisher.



**GIRL'S GLEE CLUB**—*BOTTOM ROW:* C. Ulbrich, G. Cooper, K. Sarnecki, B. Haralovich, P. Poremba, J. Bogielczyk, G. Puckett. *SECOND ROW:* P. Lea, D. Sain, D. Smith, L. Herrman, D. Pavey, J. Kock, S. Wiley, P. Simpson, M. Foshion, B. Wahl. *THIRD ROW:* J. Bronson, P. Wagner.

B. Piat, S. Fisher, S. Simatovich, R. Moorehead, S. Blickhahn, C. Lawdanski, J. Hawk, L. Spindler, J. Ingram. *FOURTH ROW:* C. Hansen, K. Young, R. Flis, C. Phillips, J. Lightcap, C. Harris, S. Page, V. O'Day, C. Bonner, B. Eisenhauer.



**CHAMBER SINGERS**—*BOTTOM ROW:* S. Rommelfanger, J. Nelson, K. Buchrie, D. Swarens, K. Anderson, C. Bocken, R. Ogden, C. Mercer, J. Schumacher, J. Carlson, S. Bennett. *SECOND ROW:* M. Scheeringa, L. Seberger, B. Kletzing, J. Irish, G. Ruch, G. Novotny.



**CHOIR**—**BOTTOM ROW:** J. Nelson, R. Hoogewerf, D. Pakan, M. Callo-way, D. Houdasheldt, R. Silverman, S. Ewing, L. McCullough, P. Phillips, L. Downing, D. Swisher, P. Griffin, M. Kristoff, G. Himes, S. Simpson, S. Ben-nett, J. Carlson, J. Schumacher. **SECOND ROW:** D. Swares, C. Fitzsim-mons, M. Langel, D. Poole, G. Barrett, E. Newton, S. Rommelfanger, D. Darchuck, C. Dietz, S. Molnar, S. Newberry, R. Smith, L. Preiss, S. Fleming N. Boyd, C. Speigel, T. Guidotti, D. Michalic. **THIRD ROW:**

J. Bergin, C. Mitchell, L. Rowen, K. Buchrie, C. Bocken, K. Anderson, H. Mesma, J. Boersma, G. Ruch, L. Cox, M. Loy, M. Cuban, M. Scheeringa, C. Mercer, C. Quandt, L. Gunter. **FOURTH ROW:** D. Simpson, J. Orban, D. Nichols, J. Nebelsiek, L. Seberger, D. Knierem, B. Kletzing, J. Irish, J. Svetic, D. Hurley, A. Lindekugel, G. Novotny, R. Harper, H. Morris, C. Chumbly, R. Ogden, S. Bishop, D. Wynder.



**BOY'S GLEE CLUB**—**BOTTOM ROW:** T. Kroosyk, B. Fleming, V. Goodwine, L. Scholl, H. Pitlik, J. Swalek, D. Boswinkle, D. Zisoff. **SEC-OND ROW:** S. Holcomb, W. Liss, R. Neal, J. Kluga, R. LaBounty, S.

Bruner, B. Bishop, F. Mathis. **THIRD ROW:** M. Corder, S. Wargo, P. Shendrick, V. Martinez, J. Benedict, D. Pender, E. Fletcher, M. Gall.



**BEGINNING CHORUS**—**BOTTOM ROW:** J. Clendenen, D. Stepp, S. Pakan, D. DeVries, P. Berin, S. Duley, B. Vercel, J. Preissler, L. Dunning, D. Johnston. **SECOND ROW:** S. Wright, L. Syvertsen, C. Schiller, J. Smith, L. Tolley, S. Sagat, M. Sutton, J. Wasson, R. Taylor.

**THIRD ROW:** G. Svetic, S. Clements, S. Chuk, D. Williams, R. Mc-Kay, R. Bartley, D. Nelson, J. McLeroy, L. Gomez. **FOURTH ROW:** P. McCandless, R. Bakker, J. McDonald, B. Papka, W. Henderson, T. Watson, R. Toren, M. Grych.



Senior drum major Larry Meschi commands the attention of the marching band during athletic events and parades.

Enthusiastically leading the Highland marching band, senior Fran Turner and juniors Janice Nichols and Billie Sue Furnas practice their various routines in preparation for their next performance.



**BAND—BOTTOM ROW:** M. Ritchie, J. McDonald, B. Furnas, F. Turner, R. Goodik, L. Kibiger, C. Luptak. **SECOND ROW:** D. Poole, I. Jemko, L. Buttle, R. Carlson, J. Nichols, R. Smith, M. Minter, P. Ramstad, E. Socin, I. Donica, D. DeVries, D. Miller, P. Seren. **THIRD ROW:** J. Nastyn, D. Pelc, B. Chamberlain, S. Hagan, J. Luptak, M. Scheeringa, M. Whitman, C. Mason, G. McDaniel, T. Slicko, R. Hodges, L. Meschi.



# Band provides entertainment at concerts, athletic events

As the 60 members parade out onto the football field, every eye is turned their way. The drum roll is barely noticeable at first but it builds, and finally, the whole band strikes up with the traditional "Star Spangled Banner."

Performing the National Anthem at football games is not the only purpose of Highland High's band. Most half-times of home football games are highlighted by the routines of this marching group. The Highland Lettergirls also perform with this group.

Under the direction of Mr. Edwin Kibiger, the pep band plays spirited pep songs to accompany the booster block in cheering the Trojans onto victory at home basketball games.

For the third consecutive year, the Band Parents Association sponsored the Northern Indiana Band, Orchestra, and Vocal Association to raise money for the purchasing of new uniforms and instruments for the concert band.

*Fran Turner, majorette, leads the band in one of the many routines the members have perfected with much practice and determination.*



M. Piech, R. McQuiston, P. Shendrick, K. Clark. **FOURTH ROW:** B. Schiller, L. O'Donnell, D. Ross, S. Yakimow, S. Matson, D. Reitman, T. Knapiak, M. Poremba, K. Jones, L. Olson, K. Langel, K. Okamoto, D. Baker, J. Brenner, B. Combs, L. Gomez, M. Law, S. Laymon, L. Schmidt, M. Lewerenz, T. Woolston, W. Schrock, R. Boston.



*Directing the band for homecoming festivities, drum major Larry Meschi raises his baton in rhythm with the musical tune. The marching band also entertains at all home football games.*





FLIGHT D—**BOTTOM ROW:** J. O'Connor, J. Stivers, M. Dugger, M. Morow, E. DeLauro, M. Chumbley. **SECOND ROW:** R. Danda, R. Sprainis, J. Luptak, D. Baker, R. Goins, W. Heubner. **THIRD ROW:** D.

Thomas, L. Mays, R. Rone, V. Foshion, R. Brosseau, S. Fisher. **FOURTH ROW:** B. MacKensie, E. Baggett, J. Joyce, J. Nebelsiek, J. Muffett, K. Norris.



FLIGHT E—**BOTTOM ROW:** M. Scheeringa, D. Mach, E. Burke, D. Cones, B. Kozel. **SECOND ROW:** B. Chrisman, M. Cable, T. Steiber, T. Brown, D. Oliver. **THIRD ROW:** J. Horvath, M. Schreiber, B. Prange, R. Hageman, M. Groevich. **FOURTH ROW:** S. Sietsma, B. Miller, J. Daum, M. Barnes, D. Nichols, L. Day.

*Aero-space education students discover what isn't in the books—a new pride in displaying America's "stars and stripes."*



# Aero-space course provides training for future officers

"Hut . . . two . . . three . . . four . . . Shoulders back! Chest out! Head up!"

These orders were commonly heard by members of the Air Force Junior ROTC as they practiced to perfect their drills and maneuvers.

Receiving the honor of being one of sixty-five Junior ROTCs in the nation, Highland High's branch presented colors at the Homecoming football game and at several home basketball games.

Marching and drill time didn't fill the whole program of the ROTC cadet. The boys took time out to sponsor a soc-hop and a Spacemobile demonstration, as well as look over the NIKE Air Force Base in Munster, Indiana.

The Air Force Junior ROTC is a cooperative effort between the school and the Air Force with the Air Force providing the original uniforms and insignia for the cadets.

Senior Rich Brosseau led the ROTC members as Cadet Major with five Cadet Captains serving under him. Major Preston Phillips and Sergeant Lester Schwab, retired Air Force officers, served as instructors for the 125 boys enrolled in the class.



**FLIGHT A—BOTTOM ROW:** P. Conner, B. Sako, S. Kulan, J. Haburay, K. Asboth. **SECOND ROW:** P. Novotny, F. Clark, D. Byrley, L. Starks, G. West. **THIRD ROW:** J. Pecsek, J. Provo, J. Brenner, F. Conn, J. Harkin, D. Suplick. **FOURTH ROW:** P. Shendrick, B. Peterson, L. Schmidt, B. Popka, P. Amodeo, M. Sleeman.

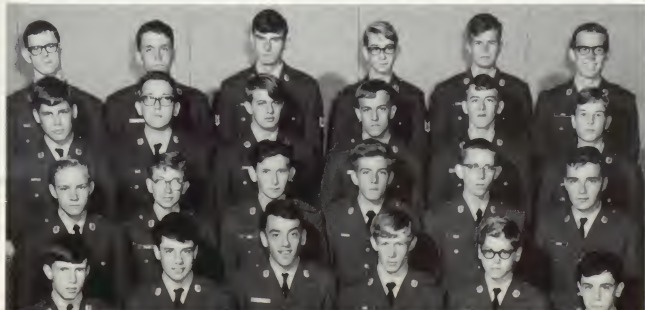


**FLIGHT B—BOTTOM ROW:** B. Ginther, R. Lewis, C. Hagar, B. Fleming, J. Medsker, C. Elder. **SECOND ROW:** B. Buser, K. Jones, G. Lescak, S. Wargo, G. Gyure, T. Garmon. **THIRD ROW:** K. Langel, K.

VanDeraa, B. Zdanky, D. Andreas, D. Devich, G. Hetrick. **FOURTH ROW:** T. Banyai, R. Guidotti, M. LaMantia, J. Starevich, S. Carman, T. Arrington.

**FLIGHT C—BOTTOM ROW:** G. Gray, M. Roche, B. Asher, A. Ross, B. Steiber, K. Roche. **SECOND ROW:** J. Fowler, L. Miller, D. Ross, G. Kendrick, B. Welo, P. Givens. **THIRD ROW:** T. Bartolac, J. Hirtz, S.

Bruner, B. DeVries, L. Cox, M. Savin. **FOURTH ROW:** J. Ripley, D. McCullough, D. Hibschan, T. Sanders, D. Segelstrom, B. Otto.





"Set it up, put in in, that's the way to win," exclaim the varsity cheerleaders as they lead the Booster Block. Senior Karen Black served as captain while senior Laurel Habzansky, and juniors Nancy Biggs and Stephanie Fruth comprised the rest of the squad.



Performing one of her many duties as Booster Club president, Pat Corten organizes the blue and gold "H" in the booster block.



LETTERGIRLS—LEFT TO RIGHT: J. Miller, president; S. Parker, vice-president; L. Rincon, B. Bard, V. Spencer, B. Terpstra, K. Peterson, treasurer; F. Turner, K. Kornmann, B. Terpstra, P. Phillips, C. Dietz, J. Koselke, G. Miller, secretary; G. Ispas, S. Gambriel, M. Jenkins. CENTER: L. Arnold, Mrs. A. Matthew, sponsor; J. Hope, A. Baade.

# Boosters, cheerleaders back Trojans in school activities

What organization has two hundred forty pair of female lungs ready to back the Men of Troy in all of their athletic endeavors? Why the Booster Club, of course!

Filling the gym or football field with warmth and enthusiasm, the boosters and cheerleaders worked together to produce a lively background of school spirit for any activity.

Rounding out this year's activities were the traditional Homecoming dance and the sale of Homecoming mums and Trojan license plates.

Lettergirls, dressed in their new uniforms of gold, utilized hoola-hoops and pom-poms as they presented new routines to the half-time audiences at football and basketball games.

Made up of sophomore, junior, and senior girls, this organization met regularly to work on suggestions and ideas for better performances.

Highland High School's Lettergirls were instructed by Mrs. "Chuckie" Pope, who was assisted by Mrs. Anne Mathew, sponsor.



*Pat Corten, Sherri Fleming, Anita Bodley, Mrs. J. Musselman, and JoEllyn Robbins discuss the condition of the Booster Club's blue and gold capes.*

*Highland High's Lettergirls line the first row of the Booster Block during the game with the Munster Mustangs early in the season.*



*Enthusiastically leading cheers for the Junior Varsity teams. Debby Moffett, Carol Bunchek, Fran Rossner, and captain Kathy Olivotto eagerly anticipate the results of a coming JV game.*





# Girls, Mothers spend night out at GAA Banquet

"Who me—ask a boy for a date?" This question arose in many girls' minds a few weeks before the Girls' Athletic Association's annual turn-about Christmas Dance.

Besides stimulating participation in girls' athletics, the GAA also helps promote ideas of health and sportsmanship.

Grass stained jeans, tennis shoes ripped to shreds, and varsity players' football jerseys were the outfits donned by junior and senior team members for the GAA Powder Puff Football Game. The event ended in a 13—13 tie.

For the purpose of handing out hard-earned pins, sweaters, letters, and plaques, and to give the girls and their mothers a night out together the GAA sponsored the Mother-Daughter Banquet. The girls also took time out to attend a splash party. Both events took place in the spring.



"Okay now, the next play will be a quarterback sneak around the left end." Explaining the next strategic play to senior team captain Lesley Roderick is Coach Robert Selund. The battle between the junior and senior girls ended in a 13—13 tie.

GAA—**BOTTOM ROW:** J. Uskert, L. Wasko, S. Tarbuck, T. Schau, ICC representative; B. Bodley, treasurer; J. Beacom, president; Mrs. J. Beaupre, sponsor; I. Bandenicks, vice-president; J. Hope, secretary, L. Harshbarger, D. Stockham, M. Kubiak, B. Bard. **SECOND ROW:** S. Kress, D. Toth, G. Espitia, R. Lightcap, J. Janott, K. Rhoten, R. Silverman, K. McGee, A. Baade, J. Zajac, B. Chamberlain, V. Heimberger, S. Longland, L. Downing. **THIRD ROW:** P. Rossner, V. Ginther, C. Bunchek, R. Owens, S. Conner, G. Barrett, C. Watson, M. Irwin, L. Roderick, B. Terpsira, S. Rommelfanger, L. Martin, C. Speigel, P. Heim. **FOURTH ROW:** B. Haralovich, J. Ambler, C. Nowak, C. Luptak, L. Wiley, H. Adamchik, N. Clark, W. Darchuck, R. Hoogewerf, P. Phillips, J. Lomberger, G. Ispas, G. Miller, K. Olivotto. **FIFTH ROW:** M. Stallone, L. Spindler, B. Orban,

M. Ihnat, S. Rooks, M. Stupeck, J. Banina, P. Gallagher, R. Carbone, C. Carroll, D. Krejci, W. Mitchell, B. Naramore, K. Turich. **SIXTH ROW:** L. Sporman, L. Ross, B. Vercel, L. Tolley, P. Horst, S. Engerski, D. Stevenson, L. Paulsin, L. Arnold, E. Ripley, P. Miller, S. Horst, S. Sharp, D. Snyder. **SEVENTH ROW:** J. Murphy, I. Jasaitis, L. Parker, A. Fullenwider, K. Lassanske, S. Henry, R. McQuiston, V. Cornell, S. Newberry, S. Parchem, D. Michalek, J. Kowe, J. Meads, M. McFarland. **EIGHTH ROW:** D. Pele, B. Kooistra, Y. Probst, J. Cuculic, S. Turich, D. Morrow, M. Schuster, J. Wenner, S. Arnold, P. Griffin, L. Dunning, K. Ambler, L. Robertson, G. Jones. **NINTH ROW:** B. Hickman, I. Jemenko, L. Beard, K. Kucer, A. Saterblom, J. Diekman, B. Furnas, B. Blink, B. Terpsira, K. Kovack, P. Corten, L. Moore, C. Lukasik, J. Vrabel, C. Lattimer.







**LETTERMEN—BOTTOM ROW:** H. Morris, R. Ispas, T. Truman, D. Carnico, sergeant-at-arms; J. Ceaser, president; M. Cable, vice-president; D. Simpson, secretary-treasurer; J. Wright, E. Burke, T. Ruskell, M. Scheeringa. **SECOND ROW:** Mr. L. Cable, sponsor; C. McShane, J. McDonald, M. Novac, J. Stivers, T. Woolston, R. Sawtell, M. Grceovich, R. Hodges, G. Shacklett, B. Peterson, T. Richards, Mr. K. Sypult, sponsor. **THIRD ROW:** T. Damaron, C. Stockham, D. Zisoff, G. MacKenzie, L. Mays, M.

Sheets, D. Slamkowski, V. Foshion, R. Rone, K. Deceuster, D. Cox. **FOURTH ROW:** B. Hobbs, M. Barnes, D. Gilbert, D. Otto, J. Ripley, P. Amodeo, G. Hicks, J. Darnell, R. Espitia, T. Zatkulak, J. Muffett. **FIFTH ROW:** G. Turean, J. Irish, D. Begala, B. Szabo, P. Mazalan, B. Vanzo, R. Benesh, J. Mercer, B. Benda, M. McClellan, B. Markley. **SIXTH ROW:** P. Roche, M. Chumbley, K. Lane, J. Vercel, T. Juran, J. Skertich, M. Young, B. Allen, D. Nichols, E. Schreiber, D. Marshall, L. Loy, R. Pope.

## Lettermen pass test; see roster increase by eight



"Ride 'em bronco!" Vic Foshion discovers that riding a burro is not as easy as it looks in the movies.

What was the Lettermen's Club of 67-68? What were the ideas behind it? It was a gathering of athletes who earned a varsity letter, and strived for good sportsmanship, scholarship, clean living and speech. Club members were key representatives of the school at athletic events and worked hard at upholding the school spirit and reputation.

The Lettermen's Club has survived the test of time, and now is one of the oldest organizations in the school. Since its organization in 1959, the club has seen eight major sports added to the roster of Highland High School.

"On your marks, get set, go!!!" Running proved to be good exercise as well as a rewarding pastime for members of the 500 Mile Club. To gain entrance into the organization, members must run 500 miles.

**500 MILE CLUB—BOTTOM ROW:** Coach M. Poehlein, sponsor; B. Peterson, treasurer; C. Stockham, president; T. Zatkulak, vice-president; R. Espitia, secretary; T. Woolston. **SECOND ROW:** J. Stivers, P. Givens,

L. Starks, T. Arner, D. Otto, D. Begala, P. Mazalan, B. Allen, M. Barnes, B. Welg, G. Shacklett, E. Burke, J. Peterson.





# Personalities

Thirteen hundred faces enter the doors of Highland High School everyday and yet among all these faces there are no two alike. Just as faces vary, so do the personalities behind them . . . thus forming the individual.

Ambition, talent, ability . . . each student has his own measure. Some of the students are naturally gregarious and enjoy class discussions, club meetings, and the traditional sock hops after athletic events.

Others are athletically inclined and enjoy all sports, perhaps excelling in one or two. A portion of the student body on the otherhand is quiet, unassuming, introverted, and sometimes appear to stand off from

the endless activities all around. This is human nature, it is personality, it is the substance that makes one an individual.

Each year Highland takes on new faces and new personalities as the faculty shifts and grows and the student body is expanded by incoming sophomores. And yet, the permanence of tradition remains as the authoritative and shy characteristics of sophomores, juniors and seniors remain.

Many decisions about the future arise during high school years. How they are made is determined by personality, what they lead to is determined by how the personality grows.



## Administration links schools with the community



Everyday management such as coordinating school activities and counseling students helps keep the administration busy.

Mr. Allen J. Warren, superintendent, aided by Mr. Clyde M. Sumner and Dr. Dean Speicher, assistant superintendents and Mr. Paul J. Kiezynski, director of the social service department keep a check on functions in the school system.

Working to handle problems are Mr. Robert Day, principal, and Mr. Merlin Clinkenbeard, assistant principal. School board members Mr. Robert Ross, Mr. Ralph Pettit and Mr. Andrew Sobek, regulate school policies.

Counseling students in personal and vocational problems are guidance counselors, Mr. James Owens, Mr. Evan Studer, Mrs. Frances Dodd and Mr. Ray Hansen.

Administrators help link the educational system in Highland with the community.

*Working as a team Mr. Robert Day and Mr. Merlin Clinkenbeard carefully supervise all daily high school functions.*



*Mr. Allen Warren, superintendent of all Highland public schools, co-ordinates students' academic lives. He makes sure schools run efficiently.*







*Mr. Paul Kienzynski, director of attendance and the social service department makes a check on student files.*



*Assisting Superintendent Warren in supervision of the entire Highland school system are Mr. Clyde M. Sumner and Dr. Dean Speicher. Efficiency is one of their main concerns.*



*Aiding the student body are Mr. Hansen, Mrs. Dodd, Mr. Studer and Mr. Owens.*



*School board members, Mr. Andrew J. Sobek, Mr. Robert L. Ross and Mr. Ralph V. Pettit regulate school policies for all Highland public schools.*



*Members of the cafeteria staff Thelma Tucker, Mildred Markovich, Ann Brakley, Jo Hall, Marian Neyhart, Grace Moore, Dolores Steiber, Wilma Swienconeck, Geneva Hill, Gertrude Supeck and Ann Wimer pause briefly during a busy day. They plan and serve well-balanced meals to please students and faculty.*

*Friendliness and concern are extended to all students, faculty members, and administration by the custodians Stanley Haines, Ray Walker, Ernie Criswell, Mike Giba, James Tyree and Don Poole as they attempt to keep Highland High School clean and attractive. Among their other duties are lowering the flag at night and aiding students in school activities.*



*Keeping accurate records and aiding students and faculty members in need of her help are two of the school nurse, Mrs. Ida Deceuster's duties.*

# Staff members exhibit efficiency in aiding school

Aromas flow through the halls as students wait impatiently for the bell to ring. Finally it rings, and the big rush begins. Appetizing and well-balanced meals prepared by the cafeteria staff await them.

Daily food sales are also taken care of by the cafeteria staff.

Tasks such as sweeping the floors, washing the windows and keeping things in order help to maintain the neat appearance of Highland High.

Services of the office secretaries are available to help students, faculty and staff. Mrs. Myrtle Watson takes care of the main office and answers calls. Mrs. Grace Riechers aids the counselors with their jobs.

Anyone requiring medical care and attention is aided by Mrs. Ida Deceuster. She is responsible for keeping student health records accurate.

Secretaries, cooks, janitors and the school nurse each display patience and efficiency in their daily duties.

*Office secretary, Mrs. Downing reads over one of the office files. She helps with the paperwork done in the office.*



*Mrs. Laurene Coles conscientiously operates the office adding machine as she totals some important figures.*



*Completing one of her many tasks as the main office secretary is Mrs. Myrtle Watson. Answering the phone is also another one of her duties.*

*As secretary for the guidance counselors, Mrs. Grace Riechers compiles class lists and aids the counselors with various programs.*

# Efforts to expand knowledge originates from newer



Aiding students in their scholastic endeavors and their progress, the hard working and diligent faculty of Highland Senior High School strives for increasing knowledge in students.

Lessons prepared by the individual teacher are aimed at providing an interest in students' classwork. Time and effort are needed to achieve the goal of the teacher and the student.

Efforts to expand the knowledge obtained by their pupils originate from the modern teaching techniques made available to modern teachers. A sense of responsibility to the student is as necessary as the learning process itself.

Grading papers, attending meetings to improve techniques, and planning class assignments and discussions are part of the extra work teachers do to perform their jobs.

*Pausing for a time-out during the N.H.S. basketball game, Mr. Darrell Morken uses his ability to explain a play to team members.*

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# teaching techniques available to modern teachers



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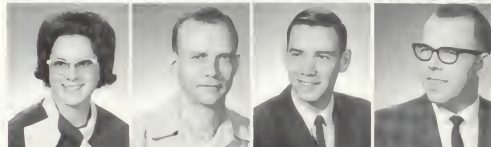
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Using his free time for entertainment, Mr. Jack Morris displays the good bowling form needed to put his team ahead. Faculty members enjoy a night of bowling in the Teachers' League.



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# Class of '70 joins in high school activities and becomes



*Eager to undertake their responsibilities, sophomore class officers Barb Chamberlain, president; Sheryl Engerski, vice-president; Rosemary Goolik, secretary; and Randy Harper, treasurer plan activities for the class. Co-sponsors Mr. Tom Johnson and Miss Carolyn Slys lend their guidance.*

Confusion and anxiety was the general feeling of the class of '70 as they became part of the student body of Highland High School.

Checking schedules with fellow classmates, sophomores moved on to classes with new faces and studies.

After weeks of careful planning and working hard, sophomores created their first homecoming float which was titled "Run 'Em Down".

Making a start at raising money, sophomores sponsored car washes and the annual Mr. Football soc-hop. These activities made the sophomores feel that they were really members of Highland High.

Cheering and backing the Trojans at football and basketball games the sophomores displayed their school spirit and enthusiasm.

As underclassmen sophomores became accustomed to the feeling of being part of Highland High society. This feeling achieved by having fun and working hard will determine their leadership qualities in future years.

Rebecca Ahlborn, Jerilyn Ambler, Phil Amodeo, Lynn Anderko, Brad Anderson, Linda Antone, Mike Arndt, Laura Arnold, Thomas Arrington.

Bob Asher, Gordon Baird, Barbara Baker, Dave Baker, Richard Bakker, Maris Bandenicks, Jeri Lynn Banina, Diane Banks, Tom Banyai.

Patt Bardon, Cyndi Barnett, Rich Bartley, Tom Bartolac, Betty Barton, Robert Bean, David Bell, John Benedict, Ray Benson.

Paula Bertin, Ted Biggs, Allan Bilka, Denise Biscan, Sue Blickhahn, Joyce Bogielczyk, Bob Boilini, Carol Bonner, Greg Brandenburg.

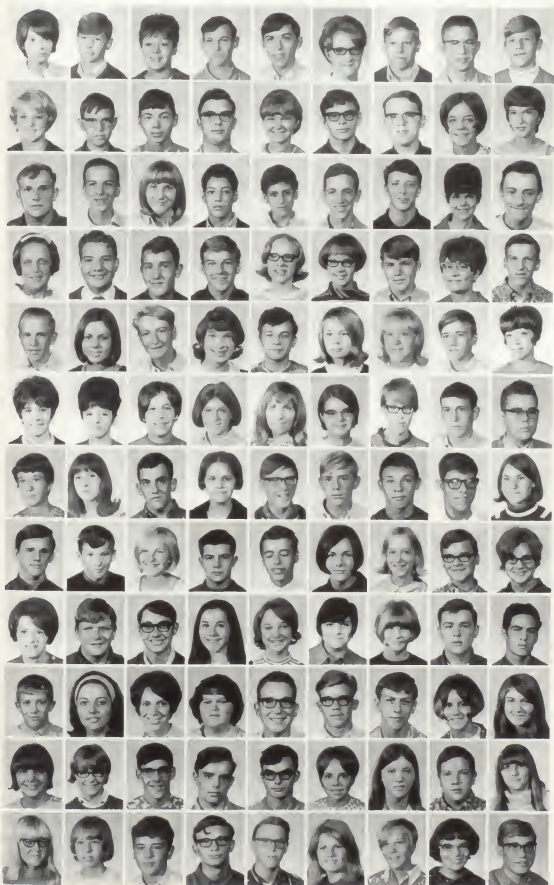
Randy Bratcher, Jon Brenner, Julia Bronson, Jerry Brown, Judy Brownwell, Robert Bruer, Carol Bunchek, Wilma Burch, William Burke.

Dennis Butlin, Les Buttles, Jeanne Callison, Dianne Campbell, Rosanne Carbone, Rich Carson, Sam Carman, Candy Carroll, Joseph Cash.





# familiar with set traditions of junior, senior classes



Helen Cebra, Mark Chadwick, Barbara Chamberlain, Larry Chambers, Bill Chrisman, Sandra Church, Mike Cluck, Frank Clark, Steve Clements.

Julie Clendenen, Terry Cleicher, Don Cones, Francis Conn, Gwen Cooper, Bill Costner, Gerald Cox, Joyce Cuculic, Christine Curtis.

Mike Curtis, Dave Darnell, Chris Davidson, Eric Davile, Phillip Davile, Larry Day, Elliott DeLauro, Pat Denny, Don Devich.

Debbie DeVries, Edward Dijak, Ron Doneff, Dave Drake, Sandra Duley, Laraine Dunning, Jerry Dvorscak, Roberta Eisenhauer, Carter Elder.

Richard Elkins, Sheryl Engerski, Lowell Estes, Terrie Evert, Bruce Ezra, Sue Faust, Barb Fistrovich, Bob Fleming, Michelle Foshion.

Susan Frisinger, Teletha Fuqua, Pat Gallagher, Sandy Gambri, Marlene Gaskey, Debbie Gathany, Karen Gawthrop, John Gaydos, Donald Geriets.

Lonnie Gilman, Pat Gilsinger, Bob Ginther, Heidi Girman, Phil Glick, John Goheen, Roger Gold, Luis Gomez, Rosemary Goolik.

Don Gordon, Duane Goubeaux, Susan Gregory, Jim Haburay, Charles Hager, Pat Halasz, Carol Hanks, Corey Hansen, Barbara Haralovich.

Glenda Hardesty, Robert Hardesty, Randy Harper, Debbie Harrington, Lee Ann Harshbarger, Lynne Hastings, Ruth Hayes, Warren Henderson, Jim Henry.

Warren Henry, Leaynn Herrmann, Barb Hickman, Kathy Higgins, Joe Hirtz, Wayne Hodgett, Bruce Hoffmocker, Susan Hoffmocker, Pat Horst.

Carol Howarth, Nina Hruska, Bruce Hudson, Roger Hubbard, Rick Hume, Joan Humphrey, Jane Hurt, Dan Huston, Mary Ihnat.

Judy Ingram, Mary Irwin, Bill Jacobs, Bob Jamison, Bob Jarmla, Phillis Jaynes, Sheila Jewell, Barbara Johnson, Danny Johnson.

# Sophomores work to create their first homecoming

Rick Johnson, Dolores Johnson, Joe Joyce, Greg Juhasz, Debbie Kartje, Judy Kelleman, Laura Kibiger, Michael King, Gail Klack.



Dan Klocek, Kathy Knerr, Judy Koch, Richard Koch, Terry Koch, Betty Kooistra, William Kooistra, Larry Korczyk, Judy Koselke.



Ken Kovack, Gene Kozlowski, Elaine Krawczykowski, Debbie Krejci, Pam Krivach, Thomas Krooswyk, Debbie Krucik, Kirsten Kucer, Darlene Kujawski.



Stephen Kulan, Sharon Kulasa, Joan LaBuda, Joyce Lakin, Keane Langei, Carol Lattimer, Mike Law, Kathy Lawdanski, Steve Laymon.



Dawn Ledbetter, Gary Lescak, Sherry Lewis, Robert Lewis, Bob Linak, Barry Livingston, Elizabeth Lock, Larry Long, David Lorman.



Linda Lorton, Lee Loy, Carole Lukasik, Jerry Luptak, Jim MacDonald, Don MacKenzie, Paul Marias, Scott Markley, Dave Marshall.



Greg Martin, Val Martinez, Cindy Mason, Bill Mathews, Farrell Mathis, Sharon Matson, Patricia McCandless, Deborah McCaslin, Les McGregor.



*Hurrying to complete the job, sophomores Tom Sanders, Ken Kovack, and Bob Brucer stuff the last flowers in place on their class float.*



# float with spirit, excited effort, determination



Randy McKay, Julie McLean, Joseph McLeroy, Jeff Medsker, Louise Meier, Bill Mercer, Mary Meschi, Kurt Meyer, Ray Michalak.

Steve Michalec, David Mika, Debbie Miller, Gayle Miller, Larry Miller, Pam Miller, Richard Miller, Marsha Minter, Phillis Misco.

Wendy Mitchell, Nancy Moberg, Debbie Moffett, Pat Molnar, Adele Mongaraz, Brenda Moore, Debby Moore, Linda Moore, Michael Morow.

Debbie Morrow, Nancy Mose, Linda Moutsinger, Larry Muffett, Paula Murn, Janice Nagel, Bonnie Naramore, Bridget Naramore, Judy Nasty.

Randy Neal, Nancy Neilson, David Nelson, Paulette Norcutt, Chris Nordstrom, Ann Novac, Cornelius Novac, George Novath, Janet Novosel.

Tom Novosel, Jim Nowell, Cindy Ogden, John Ohm, Susan O'Leary, Dale Oliver, Steve Oliver, Mario Olivotto, Larry Oiler.

Judy Oney, John Opolski, Betty Orban, Sue Orban, Roberta Owens, Shirley Page, Leslie Pahl, Susan Pakan, Jane Panda.

Anita Paredes, Dale Parlor, Jeff Pasquini, Bruce Paterson, Denny Patterson, Bob Pauley, Lyn Paulsin, Alan Pavey, Donna Pavey.

Gary Paylo, Debra Pelc, Mike Pennington, Betty Peterson, Susan Peterson, John Petkey, John Petrich, Debra Petro, Don Pettit.

Cathy Phillips, Harold Pitlik, Robert Pollitz, Brian Polte, Bruce Popka, Mike Poremba, Cathy Powell, William Prange, Jena Preissler.

Yvonne Probst, Jeff Provo, Joanie Provo, Geraldine Puckett, Anita Puntillo, Kathleen Quinn, Doug Radcliffe, Curt Rak, Toni Ralich.

Joyce Ralston, John Rausch, Lorie Ray, Jerry Rentschler, Patricia Revak, David Ridenour, Don Rietman, Elaine Ripley, Paul Rippe.

# Traditional change involves confusion, excitement,

Michael Roche, Skip Rodgers, Susan Rooks, Deborah Ross, Ed Ross, Fran Rossner, Guy Rozohn, Dave Russell, Sue Sagat.

Dianne Sain, Bill Sako, Mike Samples, Tom Sanders, Kathy Sarnecki, Audrey Satterblom, Violet Scheeringa, Connie Schiller, Joellen Schlueter.

Mary Ellen Schmiedel, Larry Scholl, Terry Schreffer, Melody Schuster, Dennis Segelstrom, Peter Senetar, Charles Shapiro, Sue Sharp, Darryl Shkroba.

Nancy Siatta, Sam Sietsma, Dennis Simala, Jim Skelly, Kathy Slasuraitis, Lyn Smiley, Cindy Smith, Darlene Smith, Geary Smith.

Jackie Smith, Jim Smith, Grady Smith, Mike Smith, Robert Smith, Debi Snyder, Linda Snyder, Jerry Socin, Dennis Sowa.

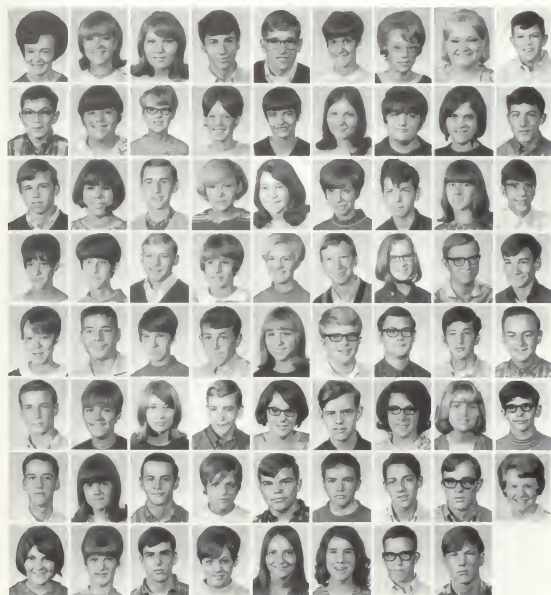
Cora Spence, Jean Spiegel, Linda Spindler, Fred Stacey, Maribeth Siallone, Joe Starevich, David Stech, Laura Steen, Brad Steiber.



Helping to back the Junior Varsity team during spirit week are sophomores Barb Chamberlain, Ken Kovack, Sheryl Engeski, Rosemary Goolik, Lynn Tolley and Larry Day.



## for sophomores as they begin high school career



Dolores Stepp, Debbie Stevenson, Lynda Stinson, Randy Strapon, Evan Studer, Mary Ann Stupeck, Wendy Stutsman, Linda Sullivan, Dwight Summerford.

Garry Svetic, Jo Swarens, Betty Swart, Mary Sweeney, Chris Szabo, Renae Taylor, Debbie Teffeleler, Diane Terpstra, James Thomas.

Chuck Thompson, Lynn Tolley, Ron Toren, Judy Torkelson, Debbie Toth, Kris Toth, Randy Traywick, Judy Trgovich, Chuck Turcan.

Karen Turich, Sharon Turich, Ted Tweedale, Mary Sue Ulber, Claudia Ulbrich, Emery Uskert, Jeanette Uskert, Bill Uskert, Tom Vajda.

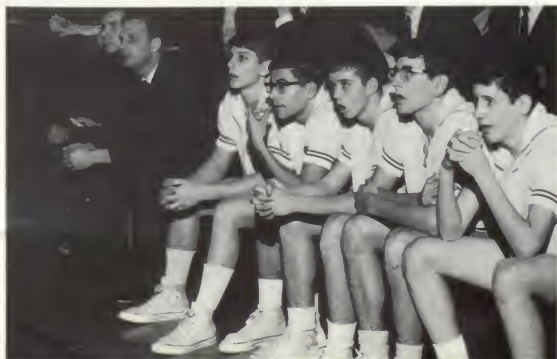
Sue VanTil, Jovan Vercel, Joyce Vrabel, Jim Wagman, Betty Wahl, Mark Wallen, Glenn Walsh, Mike Ward, Jim Wargo.

Steve Wargo, Carol Wasko, Janet Wasson, Carl Watson, Cindy Watson, Tom Watson, Nancy Webb, Patricia Wells, Paul Wells.

Doug Welsh, Janet Wenner, Richard White, Mary Whitman, Jji Wiedeman, Dale Williams, Warren Winters, Jerry Wright, Susan Wright.

Shelley Yakimow, Kay Dell Young, Mike Young, Jean Zajac, Diane Zaley, Marlene Zavesky, Bill Zdanky, Robert Zukauskas.

**CAMERA SHY:** Gerald Cox, Dennis Cunningham, Bill Fabian, Scott Fisher, Sue Fisher, Donald Geffert, Van Goodwine, Gary Gray, Kenneth Gregory, Michael Grych, Don Mack, Cassandra Salsys.



*The J.V. squad, comprised of sophomores, watches their team on the court.*

# Following tradition, junior class receives first place

Helen Adamchik, Bill Allen, David Andreas, Susan Arnold, Ken Asboth, Ann Baade, Robert Baggary, Jim Baker, John Balog.

Dan Bannon, Tom Banta, Jeff Barker, Michael Barnes, Pat Barnes, Glenda Barrett, Lynda Beard, Karen Bellinghausen, Kathy Bellinghausen.

Debbie Benante, Rhonda Benson, Debbie Berry, Margaret Biesen, Tim Biesen, Bonnie Bishop, Joyce Bittner, Nelda Blakely, Ken Blaskovich.

Betty Bodley, Jerry Boersma, Lynn Boling, Stan Bolsaga, Pam Bonaventura, Dennis Boswinkle, Nancy Boyd, Dan Boyer, Greg Branson.

Keith Breclaw, Don Brosseau, Leslie Brownlee, Steve Bruner, Bonnie Burke, Bob Buser, Gary Busick, Ron Busick, Terri Busanmas.

Marianne Callaway, Larry Carrico, John Carroll, Lindy Cergizan, James Chambers, Mike Chumbley, Burt Cigler, Ken Clark, Mary Clark.

Nancy Clark, Don Clemens, Bob Combs, Perry Conner, Dave Cook, Mickey Corder, George Corman, Vicki Cornell, Don Cox.

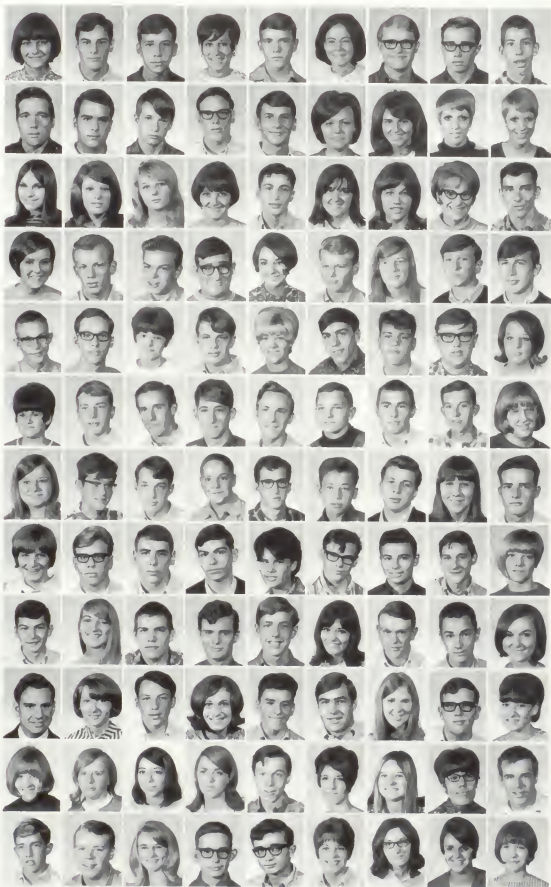
Donna Cox, Frank Crawford, Dan Csikos, Michael Cuban, Jackie Cummins, Ed Curtin, Stephen Custer, George Cutean, Bonnie Cutrell.

Richard Danda, Debby Darchuck, Jim Darnell, Jim Daum, Joel Deceuster, Patricia Decker, Chuck Devine, David Dibble, Christine Dietz.

Charles Dajak, Ilene Donica, Jim Dorsch, Karen Dudzik, Michael Dugger, Dennis Dunn, Linda Durling, Steve Dust, Carol Eatinger.

Barbara Eaton, Sandy Eller, Garnett Espitia, Susan Ewing, Tim Falk, Karen Farkas, Sue Ferczok, Jeanette Ference, Fred Fischer.

Douglas Flack, Clarence Fletcher, Rita Flis, Daniel Forster, Fred Fotis, Stephanie Fruth, Andrea Fullenwider, Billie Sue Furnas, Barbara Gamble.



# trophy for homecoming float, sponsors class chili supper



As the opening of school approached, the entire class of '69 was struck with "upperclassitis." The symptoms were all there.

Class rings were worn proudly by the juniors. They symbolized the tradition carried on through the history of Highland High School.

Moving down to the middle rows of the booster block, the juniors cheered the Trojans at sports.

Money making projects included the annual chili supper after the Edison basketball game. Soc-hops and bake sales also helped to raise the necessary funds for the 1968 prom.

Work on prom decorations began early in the fall. After hard work and determination, the 1968 prom began to take shape.

Finally the magical evening rapidly approached. The work and decorations were finished. It was over all too soon. Left were only the memories of determined efforts brought to success.

*Pensively gazing onto the senior court which they will someday inherit are juniors, Diane Swisher and Dan Cilko.*



Audrey Gearhart, Dave Gilbert, Dale Gilsinger, Vonnice Ginther, Ron Girman, Philmer Givens, Kathy Glennon, Dave Glover, Mark Goben.

Rich Goins, John Golub, Lauraine Gordon, Mark Groevich, Billy Gray, Diane Gregory, Patricia Griffin, David Groves, Janice Guidarelli.

Teresa Guidotti, Sharon Gummerston, Leigh Gunter, Larry Haag, Sharon Hagan, Rick Hageman, Linda Halas, Cindy Hanson, Jeff Harkin.

Carolyn Harris, Jacqueline Hasley, Bob Hengal, Susanne Henry, Joe Hernandez, Gene Hetnick, Wes Heubner, Greg Hicks, Dave Higgins.

Gloria Himes, Robert Hobbs, Debbie Hodgetts, Paul Hoffman, Rinkje Hoogwerf, Janice Hope, Gordon Horn, Susan Horst, Jeff Horvath.

William Houck, Dawn Houdasheldt, Wesley Hrachak, Karl Hruska, Bill Huber, Bill Humphrey, Sharon Hurley, Gayle Ispas, Alice Ivey.

# Prom becomes reality as juniors begin preparations,



*Hastily making preparations for prom are Chuck McShane, vice president; Betty Bodley, treasurer; Gail Miller, president; Rita Silverman, secretary and sponsors, Mr. J. Morris and Miss S. Walker.*

Linda Ivey, Barbara Jackson, Claude Jackson, Iris Jasaitis, Irene Jemenko, Marilyn Jenkins, Regina Jennings, Ronald Jewell, Bernard Johnson.

Douglas Johnston, Jim Johnston, Kenneth Jones, Sherry Kairschner, Valetta Kammer, Sandy Kelley, Gary Kendrick, Linda Kennedy, Garry Keown.

Mary Kerosky, Debra King, Bryan Kletzing, Jeff Kluga, Tom Knapik, Don Knauss, Dick Knierim, Mary Kralik, Marcia Kristoff.

Malanie Kubiak, Rick LaBounty, Ron Lambert, Michelle Langel, Karen Lassanske, Bernice Last, Chuck Lattimer, Peter Lawdanski, Paula Lea.

Mark Lewerenz, Joyce Lightcap, Robin Lightcap, Greg Lindsey, Walter Liss, Kim Little, Barbara Lovrinich, Marvin Loy, Carole Luptak.

Colleen McCain, Don McCullough, Lynn McCullough, Kay McCutchen, Gene McDaniel, Ken McDermott, Mary McFarland, Karin McGee, Michael McGregor.

Richard McMillan, Darral McNeley, Rita McQuiston, Chuck McShane, Gorley McKenzie, Bill McKenzie, Bill Madura, Ray Maida, Mary Margraf.





# by combining skills, talents in enthusiastic determination



Bob Markley, Gary Marr, Anthony Matovina, Paul Matovina, Rick Matson, Cathy Meade, Sue Meges, Gail Mercer, Donna Michalak.

Sylvia Michalec, Gail Miller, Connie Mitchell, Tom Mitchell, Kristine Moore, Mary Moricz, Linda Mosca, Michael Moser, Sharon Mshar.

Debbie Mull, Gerry Murphy, Jackie Murphy, Pam Musolf, John Nebelsiek, Nancy Nelson, Oscar Nelson, Sally Newberry, Darold Nichols.

Janis Nichols, Tim Nolen, Kenneth Norris, George Novoty, Pat Novoty, Corrine Nowak, Vickie O'Day, Kathy Olivotto, Jim Orban.

Dave Paglis, Sandy Parchem, Linda Parker, Tom Parks, Gerald Patterson, Mary Patz, Gary Pauley, Ron Pauley, Mike Pavnicka.

Douglas Pearson, John Pescek, John Pelc, Dale Pender, William Pentek, Andrea Pepler, James Peterson, David Pettit, Earl Phillips.

Pam Phillips, Patti Phillips, Max Piech, Barbara Pisut, Drena Poole, Donna Pope, Pat Poremba, Ron Porte, Laura Preiss.

Linda Pugh, Colleen Quandt, Judy Rabatin, Ken Rachon, Dave Ranich, Janet Redar, Judy Redar, Ronald Rex, Kathy Rhoten.

Geoff Rice, Barb Rich, Tim Ride-nour, Jerry Rimer, Debora Roades, Kevin Roche, Ted Rogus, Rich Rone, Candy Rose.

Alan Ross, Debbi Ross, Linda Ross, Patricia Rosner, Joanna Rowe, Janet Russell, Emily Rylander, Teresa Rzeszui, Ernest Sampias.

Tony Sandrick, Randy Sawtell, Jayne Schabel, Dan Schaller, Terri Shau, Bonnie Schiller, Lee Schmidt, Janet Schmiedel, Earl Schreiber.

Meryl Schreiber, Mike Schreiber, Wes Schrock, Joan Schumacher, Robert Schwamberger, Chuck Scott, Lewis Seberger, Cynthia Secviar, Michael Senetar.

## Juniors carry out traditional chili supper

Peter Shendrick, Geary Sikich, Rich Silverman, Rita Silverman, Sue Simatovich, Sue Simpson, Debra Sknerski, Mark Steeman, Tom Slicko.

Dee Snow, John Snyder, Mark Spain, Laurie Sporman, Ron Sprains, Pat Stamper, Tim Stan, Lonnie Starks, Gayle Steiber.

Terry Steiber, Pat Stevenson, John Stivers, Debby Stockham, Sue Stoddard, Tim Stooksbury, Sandi Stuck, David Stutsman, Ed Suda.

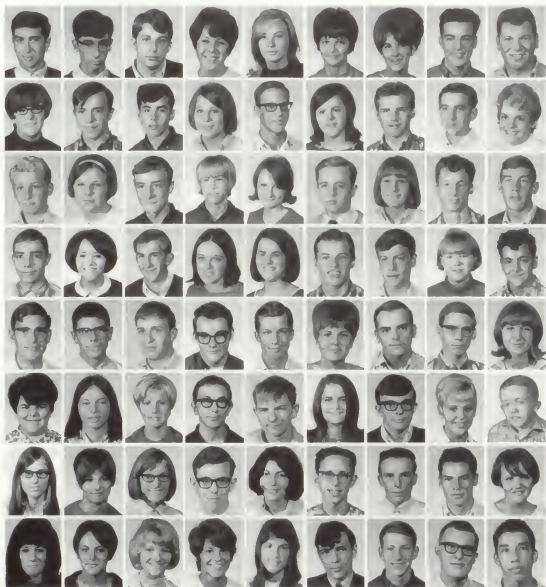
Dan Suplick, Margaret Sutton, Jim Svetic, Gail Sweeney, Diana Swisher, Bob Szabo, Gerald Szewczyk, Sue Tarbuck, Bill Tatum.

David Taylor, Daniel Thomas, Kenneth Tilka, Roger Timm, Jeff Toth, Deborah Trocha, Tom Truman, Ray Tully, Mary Ann Twarek.

Evelyn Tyree, Jill Ustanik, Lorri Valiska, Ken Van Deraa, Bruce Van Meter, Blanche Vercel, Alan Wade, Pam Wagner, Patrick Walsh.

Karen Walsko, Jacki Walz, Linda Wasko, Curtis Watson, Irene Weinstein, Robert Welo, Greg West, Bill Whiteley, Liz Wiley.

Beverly Wilkey, Georgia Willer, Cyndi Willis, Jean Winkelman, Nancy Winkelman, Terry Woolston, Dale Wright, Philip Yant, Joe Zaragoza.



**CAMERA SHY:** Nancy Biggs, Jerry Citta, Janet Janott, Robert Krawczyk, Joanne Lomberger, Robert Mareachen, Jim Orban, Bruce Smith, Robert Smith, Mark Spain, Donald Zisoff.

*Juniors Iris Jasaitis, Nancy Biggs and Diana Swisher do their part in the Junior Class chili supper.*





*Showing their abilities as class officers, Tony Zatkulak, president; splashes water on a customer's car, while Anita Bodley, vice-president;*

*puts up lights for prom decorations. Karen Black, secretary and Chuck Stockham, treasurer, each lend a hand in other activities.*

## Final year holds memories for the Class of 1968



Filled with tradition, honor and glory, the final year for seniors held memories for every individual.

Class members displayed their spirit in making their last Homecoming float which was titled "We'll Swallow Anything But De-feet".

Seniors filled the first rows of the Booster Block, as they enthusiastically cheered at the Trojan games. This tradition, along with many others such as, the senior court and the farewell gift to the school, was characterized by the spirit and pride of seniors.

Blue and white senior beanies began to appear in school as the seniors donned them as a symbol of youthful enthusiasm and distinction.

With the year almost behind them, seniors began to prepare for the hectic activities of Baccalaureate and Commencement, events which will be remembered and treasured by the Class of 1968.

*Mr. James Bianchetta and Miss Sharon Forsberg, senior class sponsors offered advice on final graduation arrangements.*

# Seniors view final high school activities with

RANDY AKERS—Industrial Arts Club 4. KATHY AMBLER—Sign Painters 3,4; Drama Club 2,3; Spanish Club 2,4; GAA 2,4. KAREN ANDERSON—FBLA 4; Trojan Notes 2; Choir 3,4; Chamber Singers 3,4; Girls' Glee Club 2. THOMAS ARNER—Student Council 4, parliamentarian 4; Drama Club 2,4; Forensics 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Thespians 3,4; 500 Mile Club.

DON ASHMANN—Sign Painters 2,3, vice-president 3; FTA 2,4; CENAU 2,3; Drama Club 2,4; French Club 2,4; treasurer 3; parliamentarian 4; Thespians 4. JON ASHMANN—Sign Painters 2,4, secretary 3; treasurer 4; FTA 2,4; CENAU art editor 4; Social Science Club 2,4, president 3; Key Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4. NANCY ASHTON—Y-Teens 2,3; MCC 2; Spanish Club 2,3; Booster Block 2,3. SUSAN BAAD—FTA 2,4, secretary 3, vice-president 4; TROJANAL 2,4, news editor 3, editor-in-chief 4; Booster Block 2,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4; Student Court 3, bailiff.

ED BAGGETT—Spanish Club 3,4; Wrestling 3. PAT BAKER—FBLA 2,3; Booster Block 4; GAA 2,4. INKY BANDENIEKS—FHA 3; Drama Club 2,3; Booster Block 2,3; GAA 2,4, vice-president 4. BONNIE BARD—Student Council 3,4; SHIELD 2,4, organization section editor 3, copy editor 4; Lettergirls 3,4; GAA 2,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4, vice-president 4; Junior Class treasurer.

PETER BARENIE—Spanish Club 2; Industrial Arts Club 4. CHERYL BAUER—FBLA 4; FHA 2; Drama Club 2,3. JUNE BEACOM—FBLA 3,4; Drama Club 2,3; Spanish Club 2,3; Booster Block 2,4; GAA 2,4, treasurer 3, president 4; Snow Queen. DAWN BECKER—Y-Teens 3; FBLA 4; German Club 2,4; Booster Block 2.

DAVID BEGALA—Lettermen 2,4; 500 Mile Club 4; Football 2; Cross Country 3; Track 2,4. LOUIS BEKO—Boys' Glee Club 2; Projectionist 4. BRIAN BENDA—Science Club 3,4, president 4; German Club 2,3; Lettermen 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4, vice-president 4; Golf 2; Tennis 3,4. RANDY BENESH—Lettermen 3,4; Prom King nominee; Football 2,4; Basketball 2,4; Track 2,3.

SALLY BENNETT—Student Council 2,4, corresponding secretary 3; SHIELD 3,4, co-layout and art editor 3, editor-in-chief 4; Choir 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Snow Queen Nominee; Quill and Scroll 3,4, secretary 4. MARGARET BERTZ—FTA 2,4; TROJANAL 2,4, assistant news editor 3, news editor, production manager 4; Drama Club 2,4, president 4; National Honor Society 3,4; Thespians 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4. JACQUELINE BERGIN—FTA 3,4; Drama Club 2,4; Spanish Club 2,4, treasurer 3,4; Booster Block 3,4; Choir 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4. THOMAS BICKELL—FTA 2,4; MCC 4; Lettermen 2,4; Wrestling 2; Football 3,4; Track 3,4.





enthusiasm, keen anticipation of things to come



JAMES BINDAS—Wrestling 2,3; Baseball 2,3. CHRISTOPHER BISHOP. SUSAN BISHOP—FTA 2-4; TROJANEL 2-4, regional advertising manager 3, production, managing editor 4; Highlanders 3,4; Choir 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Quill and Scroll. WILLIAM BISHOP.



KAREN BLACK—FTA 3,4, TROJANEL 3, exchange editor; NEWS BUREAU 4, Hammond Times correspondent; Cheerleader 3,4, varsity captain 4; Quill and Scroll 4; Senior Class secretary. BONNIE BLINK—FBLA 2,4; Booster Block 2-4; GAA 3,4; Band 2,3. COLLEEN BOCKEN—FTA 2; Spanish Club 2; Trojan Notes 2; Choir 3,4; Chamber Singers 3,4; Girls' Glee Club. ANITA BODLEY—Drama Club 2,3; French Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4, treasurer 4; Prom Queen; Senior Class vice-president.



JUDY BOERSMA—FTA 2-4; NEWS BUREAU 3,4, typing editor; French Club 2-4; Booster Block 3,4; Highlanders 4; Quill and Scroll 4. LINDA BOGGS—MCC 2,4; French Club 2-4. ROY BOSTON—German Club 3,4; Band 2,4. JOHN BOZAK—FTA 3,4; CENTAUR 2,4; Drama Club 2-4; Social Science Club 2,3, vice-president 2; Spanish Club 2-4; Thespians 4.



FRANCES BRANNIN—Y-Teens 4; FHA 2-4; Drama Club 3,4; Girls' Glee Club 2,3. MICHAEL BRANSON, WENDIE BRANSTROM—TROJANEL 2-4, circulation manager 4; NEWS BUREAU 3, Highland Journal stringer; Spanish Club 2-4; National Honor Society 4; Quill and Scroll 4. CHARLENE BRETZIUS—FBLA 2; Booster Block 2-4; Office Aide 4.



DIANE BRISENO—Y-Teens 4; FHA 2-4; Drama Club 3,4; Booster Block 2,3; Office Aide 4. DAVID BRONSON—Industrial Arts Club 4; Track 4. RICHARD BROSSAU—ROTC 4, Major; Baseball 3,4; Intramurals 2,3. RONALD BROWN—Boys' Glee Club 2; Projectionist 3; Industrial Arts Club 4, president.



LINDA BRUNCIE—FHA 2,4; Spanish Club 2; Booster Block 2,3; Girls' Glee Club 2. KAREN BUEHRLE—Y-Teens 2-4; MCC 2,3; Drama Club 2,3; Trojan Notes 2; Choir 3,4; Chamber Singers 3,4. DAVID BYRLEY—ROTC 4, MICHAEL CABLE—ROTC 4, Captain; Lettermen 2-4, vice-president; National Honor Society 3,4; Key Club 4.

# Tradition becomes evident as seniors take sole

KIT CALLISON—German Club 2-4; Lettermen 3; Industrial Arts Club 4; Football 3-4; Track 3-4; JUDITH CARLSON—Y-Teens 2-4; FHA 2-4, vice-president; Spanish Club 2-4; Trojan Notes 3; Choir 3-4; Chamber Singers 4; DEAN CARRICO—Lettermen 3-4, sergeant-at-arms 4; Football 2-4; Basketball 2-4; Track 2-4; Projectionist 4; Mr. Football nominee; JUDY CARROLL—FBLA 2, FHA 2; Booster Block 2.

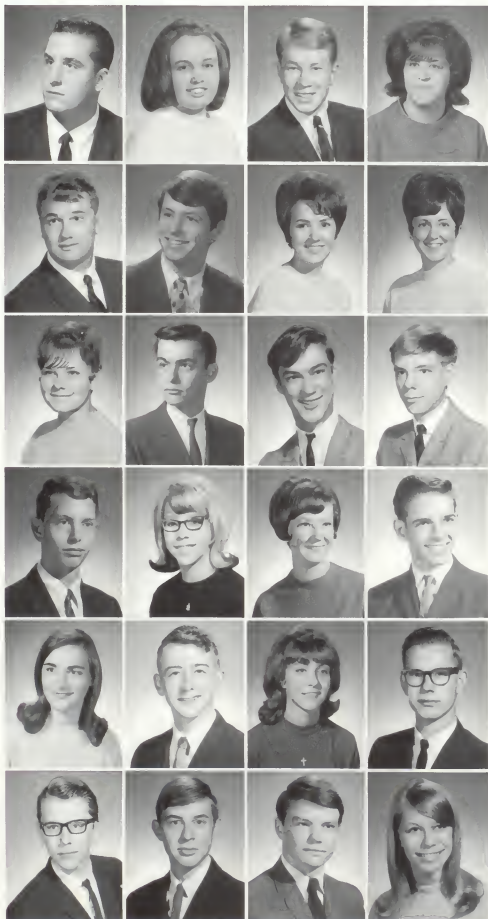
JAMES CEASER—Lettermen 2-4, president 4; National Honor Society 3-4; Key Club 2-4; Mr. Football nominee; Football 2-4, co-captain; Track 3-4; JAMES CHADWICK—FBLA 3; KATHLEEN CHIABAI—FTA 3-4; TROJANAL 2-4, editorial editor, 3, editor-in-chief 4; Literary Discussion Club 3-4; Booster Block 2-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Quill and Scroll 3-4, treasurer 4; JACQUELINE CHRISMAN—FTA 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4.

CYNTHIA CHUMBLEY—Y-Teens 2-4; FBLA 3; GAA 2; Choir 3-4; Chamber Singers 3; National Honor Society; DENNIS CHURCH—Choir 3; Boys' Glee Club 2; Industrial Arts Club 4; GLEN CLAUSSEN—Industrial Arts Club 4; Football 2. RONALD COLVIN—Industrial Arts Club 4.

WAYNE CONN. SARAH CONNER—Sign Painters 2-4; FHA 2; GAA 2-4; Girls' Glee Club 2; PATRICIA CORTEN—TROJANAL 2-3, editorial editor 3; NEWS BUREAU 4, feature editor; Booster Block 2-4, president; GAA 2-4; Homecoming Queen nominee; Snow Queen nominee; RUSSELL CORTRIGHT.

ELIZABETH COTE—Student Council 3-4, parliamentarian 3; MCC 2-4; SHIELD 2-4, opening section editor 3, associate copy editor 4; TROJANAL 2-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Quill and Scroll; LEE COX—ROTC 4; Choir 3-4; Boys' Glee Club 2; NELDA CRIDER—FHA 2, secretary; Social Science Club 3-4, treasurer 3-4; French Club 2-4; THOMAS DAMRON—Social Science Club 3; German Club 2-3; Lettermen 4.

LEE DEAK—Boys' Glee Club 3; KENNETH DECEUSTER—Social Science Club 2-3; Lettermen 4; Key Club 3-4; Football 4; JOHN DECKER—Industrial Arts Club 4; Wrestling 2; SHARI DECKER—FTA 2-3; Drama Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4; GAA 2-3; Homecoming Queen nominee; Prom Queen nominee.



# possession of senior court, bottom bleachers



BRADLEY DEVRIES—FTA 3; Drama Club 2; Football 2. KENTON DICKINSON—FBLA 2; French Club 2; Spanish Club 3; Projectionist 3. JEAN DIEKMAN—Student Council 3, 4; secretary 3; FTA 2-4, vice-president 3, president 4; GAA 2-4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Girls' State Representative; DAR good citizen. LYNN DOWNING—FTA 2-4; Drama Club 2, 4; French Club 2-4, secretary 3, president 4; GAA 2-4, secretary 3; Choir 4; National Honor Society 3, 4.

DEBRA DRAKE—Y-Teens 2, 3; FHA 4; Drama Club 2, 3. PAMELA DRAPEAU—Drama Club 2-4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Thespians 3, 4, president 4; Prom Queen nominee; Sophomore Class president; Highland's Junior Miss. CHERYL DULLEY—Y-Teens 2-4; FBLA 3. DIANE DUNN—FTA 2-4; CENTAUR 4, layout editor; Drama Club 2, 3; French Club 2, 3; Booster Block 2-4.

DIANNE DUNN—Drama Club 3. KERRY DUVALL. TERRY DUVALL. RUTH ELAND—Y-Teens 3, 4; FHA 2, 3; Girls' Glee Club 2.

BRENDA ELISH—FHA 2-4; Drama Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4. BARBARA ELKINS—FTA 2-4; SHIELD 3, 4, business manager; French Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Quill and Scroll 3, 4. CHRISTINE ELLER—FBLA 3. TROJANAL 3; Drama Club 2, 3; German Club 2-4; GAA 2, 3; Nurse's Aide 4. RICK ESPITIA—Lettermen 2-4; Boys' Glee Club 2; 500 Mile Club 3, 4; secretary; Basketball 2; Cross Country 2-4; Track 2-4.

LINDA FENNEMA—Y-Teens 3, 4, treasurer; FBLA 3; Booster Block 3, 4. NANCY FERGUSON—Y-Teens 3; FBLA 4; Drama Club 3, 4; German Club 2, 3; Booster Block 3, 4. CHERYL FITZSIMONS—Choir 3, 4; Girls' Glee Club 2. JOHN FLADELAND—Boys' Glee Club 2, 3; Projectionist 3; Librarian 2.

SHERRI FLEMING—FTA 3, 4; French Club 2-4, treasurer 4, Booster Block 2, 4, secretary 4; Highlanders 3, 4; Choir 3, 4. VICTOR FOSSION—FBLA 4; ROTC 4, cadet commander; Lettermen 2-4; Football 2-4; Wrestling 2-4; Track 2-4. JAMES FOWLER—ROTC 4. SKIP FRANCE—MCC 4; Social Science Club 3; Boys' Glee Club 2; Librarian 3, 4.

# Members of the class of 1968 achieve unity as

ROSITA FRANKLIN—FHA 2-4; Drama Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4; Office Aide. RONALD GALBRAITH, MICHAEL GALL—FBLA 3,4; Choir 4; Boys' Glee Club 4; Track 3,4; Intramurals 3,4. TIMOTHY GARMON—ROTC 4, flight captain; Industrial Arts Club 4; Track 4; Intramurals 3.

CYNTHIA GERMEK—FTA 2-4. SHIELD 3. TROJANAL 3,4, editorial editor 4; Drama Club 2-4; Booster Block 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4, president 4. TERRY GODDARD—Student Council 2; FBLA 3; Key Club 2-4, vice-president 4; Projectionist 4; Industrial Arts Club 4. JANET GOLEC—Drama Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4. NANCY GORDON—FHA 2; SHIELD 2; TROJANAL 2; Drama Club 2,3; German Club 2,3; Booster Block 2-4.

MICHAEL GOS—MCC 2,4; TROJANAL 4, sports editor; HIS 4; Track 2. PAMELA GREGORY—Spanish Club 2-4; Librarian 2-4. RICHARD GUIDOTTI—French Club 3; ROTC 4, squad sergeant; Choir 3. JAMES GUINN—Key Club 4; Industrial Arts Club 4, secretary; Football 2,3.

GARY GYURE—ROTC 4, squad sergeant; Wrestling 3. PATRICIA HABEL—Y-Teens 3,4; FHA 2-4, secretary 3, historian 4; SHIELD 3; TROJANAL 2,3; Drama Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4. LAUREL HABZANSKY—Student Council 2-4; NEWS BUREAU 3,4, news editor 4, Highland Journal correspondent 3; Cheerleader 2-4, junior varsity captain 3, varsity 4; GAA 2,3; National Honor Society 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4. DENISE HADARICH—FHA 4; MCC 2; SHIELD 3; Booster Block 2-4.

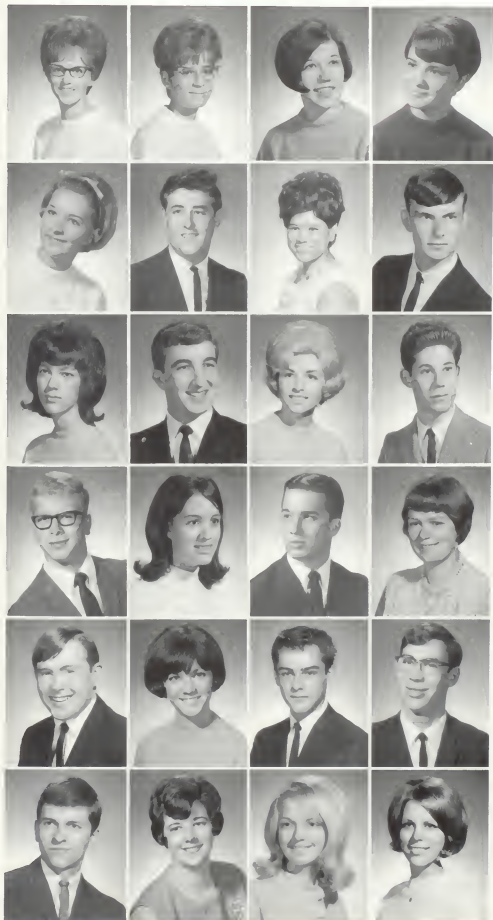
PATRICK HALL—Lettermen 3; Projectionist 4. RONALD HALL—Boys' Glee Club 2. KATHLEEN HANFT—MCC 2; TROJANAL 3, exchange editor; CENTAUR 3; Drama Club 3; Social Science Club 3. RICHARD HANSEN—Sign Painters 2.

GLENDIA HARDESTY—FHA 4. JAMES HARPER—Key Club 2-4; Industrial Arts Club 4, vice-president 4; Cross Country 2,3; Student Court 2,3; Intramurals 2-4. OSCAR HARRIS—German Club 2,3; Industrial Arts Club 4; Football 2,3. BOB HARTMAN—German Club 2,3.





# they construct last homecoming float



JEANETTE HAWK—Y-Teens 4; FHA 3.4; Drama Club 3; Booster Block 2.3; Girls' Glee Club 3.4; CHRISTINA HAWKINS—Y-Teens 4; FTA 2.3; Drama Club 2.3; GAA 3. MAR-GARET HEIM—Student Council 4, recording secretary; SHIELD 2-4, personality section editor 3, layout and art editor 4; GAA 2-4; National Honor Society 3.4; Thespians 4; Quill and Scroll 3.4. VAUGHN HEIMBERGER—GAA 2-4.

VICKI HEIMBERGER—Student Council 3.4, corresponding secretary 4; SHIELD 2-4, assistant photographer editor 3, photography editor 4; GAA 2-4; National Honor Society 3.4; Quill and Scroll 3.4; Girls' State alternate. DAN HENLEY, LORRAINE HERNANDEZ—FHA 4. DAVID HIBSCHMAN—ROTC 4.

LINDA HILL—Y-Teens 2; CENTAUR 3; Drama Club 3; Literary Discussion Club 3. RUSSELL HODGES—FTA 2-4; Science Club 3.4; Lettermen 3.4; Band 2-4; Key Club 3.4; Cross Country 3.4; BEVERLY HOEKEMA—FHA 3; Drama Club 3; Girls' Glee Club 2. STEVE HOLCOMB—Boys' Glee Club 4.

ALAN HOPE—Lettermen 4; Intramurals 2; Wrestling 2-4; Golf 3.4. MONA HOUCK—MCC 2-4; German Club 3; Nurse's Aide 4. THOMAS HOWLETT—Spanish Club 3.4; Projectionist 4; Baseball 2.3; Intramurals 3.4. ELKE HUISMAN—MCC 2-4; German Club 3; Nurse's Aide 4.

DAN HURLEY—Choir 3.4; Boys' Glee Club 2; Key Club 3; Football 2.3; Track 2; Intramurals 2-4. KRISTIN HURT—Student Council 2; FTA 4; Drama Club 2; French Club 2.3; Booster Block 2-4; National Honor Society 3.4. JAMES INGRAM—Industrial Arts Club 4. JOHN IRISH—German Club 2.4; Lettermen 4; Choir 3.4; Chamber Singers 3.4; National Honor Society 4; Cross Country 3.

RON ISPAS—FBLA 4; Lettermen 3.4; Track 2; Baseball 3.4; Basketball 2-4; Football 2-4. FAYE JOHNSON—FTA 3; MCC 2-4; Drama Club 4; Booster Block 2. JANET JOHNSON—FBLA 2-4, treasurer 4; Drama Club 2; Booster Block 3. GLENDA JONES—FTA 4; FBLA 2-4; Drama Club 4; Booster Block 2.4; GAA 2-4.

# Plans for the future dominate hectic year while

DOUGLAS JUHASZ—Boys' Glee Club 2,3; Wrestling 2; Track 4; Intramurals 4; TIM JURAN—Letterman 4; Baseball 2,4; DIANA KAIRCHNER—Y-Teens 4; FBLA 2,4; Booster Block 3,4; Office Aide 4. ROSEMARY KAPRAL—MCC 4; Nurse's Aide 4.

LINDA KASPER—Y-Teens 4; FBLA 2; FHA 3,4; Social Science Club 3,4; Booster Block 3,4; Girls' Glee Club 2,4. DONNA KELLEY—FTA 4; Drama Club 3,4; Literary Discussion Club 3,4; German Club 2,4; National Honor Society. ROBERTA KINGSTON—Y-Teens 3,4; Sign Painters 3; CENTAUR 2; Literary Discussion Club 2,3; Social Science Club 4. JANET KLEIN—FHA 2,4, treasurer 3, president 4; TROJANAL 2,3, feature editor 3; NEWS BUREAU 4, Hammond Times correspondent 4; Drama Club 2,4; National Honor Society 4; Quill and Scroll 3,4.

LARRY KOCH. BARBARA KOOISTRA—Y-Teens 4; Sign Painters 4. KAREN KORN-MANN—FTA 3,4; CENTAUR 4; Drama Club 2,4; German Club 2,3; Lettergirls 2,4, treasurer 3; Booster Block 2,4. KATHY KOVACK—Y-Teens 4; FHA 2,4; Drama Club 2,3; French Club 2,4, vice-president 4; Booster Block 2,3; GAA 2,4.

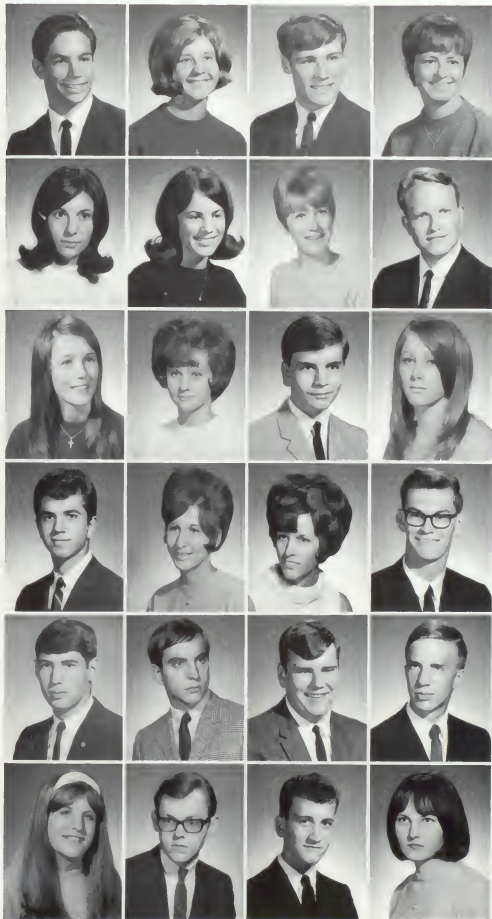
WILLIAM KOZEL—ROTC 4, flight captain. THOMAS KRAWCZYKOWSKI—Boys' Glee Club 3. SHERRI KRESS—FTA 2,4; SHIELD 3,4, assistant advertising manager 3, advertising manager 4; French Club 2,4; Booster Block 3,4; GAA 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4. RICHARD KUBIAK—Wrestling 2,3.

BRAD KUCER—FTA 2,4; CENTAUR 3,4; Drama Club 3,4; Social Science Club 3, ICC representative; German Club 2,4; Key Club 3,4. CHERYL KULA—FTA 3,4; NEWS BUREAU 3,4, Hammond Times correspondent 3, photography editor 4; Drama Club 3,4; Spanish Club 2,4; Booster Block 3,4; Quill and Scroll 4. SUZANNE KWOLEK—FTA 2,4; SHIELD 2,4, co-layout and art editor 3,4; Science Club 2,4, secretary 4; Band 2,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4. DARRYL LABORDE—Lettermen 3,4; Boys' Glee Club 2,4.

MILTON LAMANTIA—ROTC 4; Boys' Glee Club 2. KEITH LANE—Lettermen 2,4; Golf 2,4. NADINE LANGEL—FBLA 2,3; Drama Club 2,3; Booster Block 2,3. JANET LANGLOIS—FTA 2,4; Drama Club 2; French Club 2,4.



# seniors make important decisions, take tests



THOMAS LESKO—Science Club 2; Baseball 2-4; Football 3; Wrestling 2,3; Intramurals 2. JOANN LEWANDOWSKI—Y-Teens 3; FBIA 2-4; Drama Club 2,3; French Club 2,3; Booster Block 3. ALLEN LINDEKUGEL—FTA 2,3; FBIA 2; Choir 3,4; Boys' Glee Club 2. PATRICIA LIPSKI—FTA 2-4; Science Club 2-4; Booster Block 2; Band 2-4; National Honor Society 3,4.

ROSEMARY LOCASTO—Drama Club 2-4; Spanish Club 2-4, president 3,4; National Honor Society 4; Thespians 4; Prom Queen nominee; Sophomore Class secretary. SUSAN LONGLAND—Drama Club 2; German 2-4, president 4; Booster Block 4; GAA 2-4. PAMELA LUYSTER—FHA 4; Girls' Glee Club 2. KEVIN MACKOWIAK—CENTAUR 4, photographer; NEWS BUREAU 4, photographer; Drama Club 4; Band 2,3; Key Club 3,4; Thespians 3,4.

EILEEN MARLOWE—FBIA 2,3; Booster Block 2-4. BONNIE MARTIN—FBIA 3; FHA 2,4; Librarian 4. KEITH MARTIN—Student Council 2; MCC 3; Science Club 3; German Club 2,3; Projectionist 4. LORRIE MARTIN—FBIA 2-4; Drama Club 2-4; Spanish Club 2-4; Booster Block 3,4; GAA 2-4; Homecoming Queen.

FRANK MARTINEZ—Intramurals 4; Baseball 3. GLENNA MATHIS—Girls' Glee Club 2,3. PAMELA MAYERNIK—Y-Teens 3; FBIA 2-4. LARRY MAY'S—ROTC 4; Lettermen 3,4; Football 2-4, co-captain; Basketball 2-4; Track 3,4; Mr. Football nominee.

PAUL MAZALAN—German Club 3,4, sergeant-at-arms 4; Lettermen 2-4; Snow King; Football 2-4; Basketball 2,3; Track 2-4. PHILIP MAZUR, MARK MCCLELLAN—Lettermen 2-4, sergeant-at-arms 3; Football 2-4; Track 2; Intramurals 2-4. THOMAS McDONALD—Key Club 2-4, president 4; Golf 2-4.

FRANCES McDERMOTT—Drama Club; Girls' Glee Club 2. DENNIS McKISSICK, LARRY McNEILEY, KATHLEEN McQUISTON—German Club 2-4; GAA 2,3; Band 2,3.

# Graduation draws nearer as seniors choose class

JANICE MEADS—Spanish Club 2-4; GAA 2-4; ANDREW MENZYK—FTA 2-4; Forensics 2-4; French Club 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Key Club 2-4; Boys' State Delegate. COLLEEN MERCER—FBLA 3; Drama Club 2-4; Forensics 4; Booster Block 2-4; Choir 3-4; Chamber Singers 3-4; JAMES MERCER—FBLA 4; French Club 2-3; Lettermen 2-4; Football 2-4; Track 2-4; Baseball 2.

LAWRENCE MESCHI—FTA 4; Social Science Club 4; German Club 2; Band 2-4; drum major 3-4; HARRIET MESMAN—Y-Teens 4; FHA 2; Choir 3-4; Girls' Glee Club 2. JAMES MESTERHARM—TROJANAL 2; Key Club 3-4; Monitor 4. LAWRENCE MICHALEC—Spanish Club 3.

HELEN MICHEL—Y-Teens 4; FBLA 2-4; French Club 2-3; Booster Block 3-4; National Honor Society 4. JUDITH MIKLAS—FBLA 2; FHA 2; Booster Block 3; Girls' Glee Club 2. MELINDA MILICH—FTA 3-4; TROJANAL 3-4; feature editor 4; CENTAUR 3-4; Drama Club 2-4; French Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4. BRUCE MILLER—ROTC 4.

CANDY MILLER—Y-Teens 4. JEAN MILLER—Student Council 4; FTA 2-4; French Club 3-4; Lettergirls 2-4, president 3-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Girl's State Delegate. PAMELA MILLER—Y-Teens 4. DEBORAH MILLS—FTA 2-4; Drama Club 2; French Club 2-4.

JOYCE MISECKO—Booster Block 2-3; Choir 3; Office Aide 4. ALLEN MISKIEWICZ—Industrial Arts Club 4. SHARON MOLNAR—FTA 3-4; FBLA 2; Drama Club 2-4; French Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4; Choir 2-4. RICK MONZEK.

ANNETTE MOODY—Sign Painters 2-4; FHA 4; Social Science Club 3; Band 2-3. AUGUST MOORE—Band 2; National Honor Society 3-4; Key Club 2-3. ROBERTA MOREHEAD—FHA 2; Spanish Club 2. RENE MORELLI.





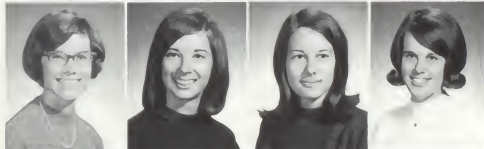
# motto, creed and flower, order announcements



GERALDINE MORICZ—Y-Teens 2; CENTAUR 2; French Club 2.4; HERSCHEL MORRIS—MCC 2; Lettermen 3.4; Choir 3.4; Boys' Glee Club 2; National Honor Society 3.4; Tennis 3.4. MRS. MARILYN MORRIS, LINDA MOSELY—FBLA 2.4; Booster Block 2.3.



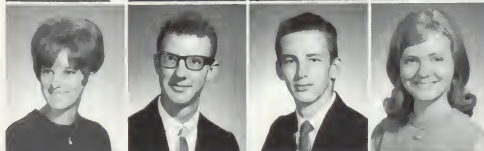
JAMES MUFFETT—Science Club 2.4; ROTC 4; Lettermen 2.4; National Honor Society 3.4; Track 2.3; Cross Country 2.3. JOYCE MUHA—Y-Teens 2.4; FBLA 2.3; FHA 4; Drama Club 2.3; Spanish 3; REBECCA MURPHY—Y-Teens 3.4; FTA 2; FBLA 3.4; Drama Club 2.3; Booster Block 2.4; Girls' Glee Club 3; LENORE NEBELSIEK—FTA 2.4; Literary Discussion Club 4; Social Science Club 3.4; Science Club 3; Spanish Club 2.4.



JENNIFER NELSON—French Club 2.4; Highlanders 3; Choir 3.4; Chamber Singers 4; LINDA NELSON—FBLA 3; FHA 4; French Club 2; Booster Block 2.4; Girls' Glee Club 2; Office Aide 4. ELLEN NEMETH—FTA 2.4; ICC representative 3; SHIELD 4; Index editor; Drama Club 2.4; Booster Block 2; National Honor Society 3.4; KAREN NEYHART—Booster Block 4; FHA 2.4; Highlanders 4; Choir 4; Band 2.3; National Honor Society 4.



LINDA NORDSTROM—Y-Teens 2.4; FBLA 2.4, recording secretary 4; Drama Club 2.3; French Club 2.3. MICHAEL NOVAK—TROJANAL 3.4, photographer; Science Club 2.3, secretary 3; Lettermen 3.4; Wrestling 3.4; Football 4. LINDA NOVAK—Y-Teens 4; FTA; FBLA 3; Drama Club 2; Spanish Club 3. LEE NUSBAUM—ROTC 4; Lettermen 4; Wrestling 2.4; Track 3.4.



LINDA NUSBAUM—Y-Teens 4; FHA 4; Girls' Glee Club 2. MICHAEL OAKLEY, JAMES O'CONNOR—ROTC 4; Wrestling 2. LINDA O'DONNELL—MCC 2.4; Band 2.4; Nurse's Aide 4.



RUTH OGDEN—MCC 4; French Club 4; Choir 2.4; Chamber Singers 4; National Honor Society 4. KELLY OKAMOTO—Social Science Club 4; Band 2.4; Key Club 2.4, secretary 3; treasurer 4. LARRY OLSON—Band 2.4. JANICE OLSZEWSKI—FTA 4; Drama Club 3.4; Spanish Club 2; Booster Block 3.4; Girls' Glee Club 2.

# Class party, Baccalaureate and Commencement bring

SAMUEL OPOLSKI, DANIEL OTTO—German Club 2,3; Lettermen 3,4; Band 2,3; Projectionist 3,4; Track 2,4. JOYCE OTTO—Y-Teens 4; FBLA 2; FHA 3,4; Booster Block 2,3. WILLIAM OTTO—ROTC 4.



STELLA AMPARO OVALLE—Foreign Exchange Student from Colombia. ANTHONY PAGLIS—Student Council 3,4; FTA 4; French Club 3,4; Prom King. DOROTHY PAKAN—FTA 2,4; French Club 2,4; Trojan Notes 2; Highlanders 4; Choir 3,4; National Honor Society 4. KAREN PARCHEM—FTA 2,4; Social Science Club 3,4, secretary 4; French Club 2,4.



SUSAN PARKER—FTA 2,4; SHIELD 3,4, sales manager 4; French Club 2,3; Lettergirls 3,4, vice-president 4; Booster Block 2,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4. BONNIE PATERSON—Y-Teens 3,4; FHA 3; Booster Block 4; Librarian 4. JOYCE PAYLO—FHA 4. CHRISTINE PERUSIC—TROJANAL 3; Spanish Club 2.



BRUCE PETERSON—TROJANAL 3,4; NEWS BUREAU 4; Lettermen 3,4; Boys' Glee Club 2; 500 Mile Club 3,4, secretary 4; Track 2,4; Cross Country 4. ROBERT PETERSON—French Club 3; ROTC 4. ROSLYN PETERSON—FTA 2,4; Lettergirls 3,4, treasurer 4; Booster Block 2,4; Girls' Glee Club 2; National Honor Society 4. LANI PHILLIPS.



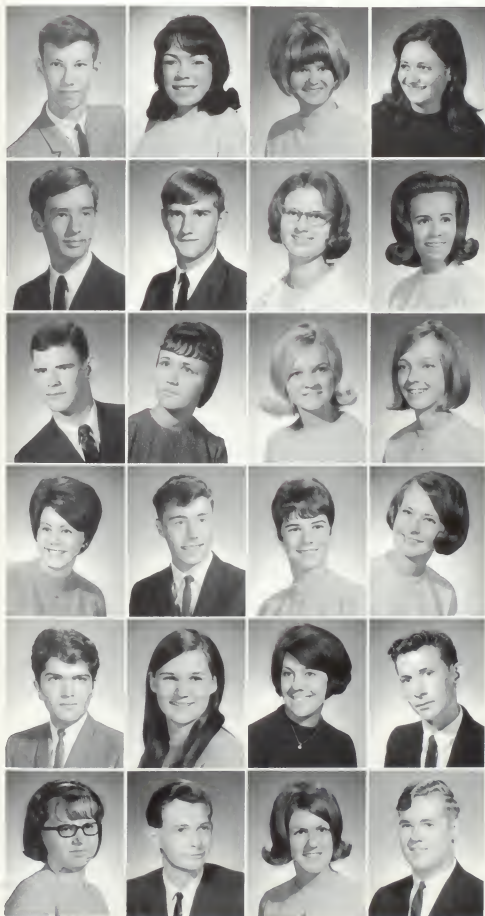
WILLIAM PHILLIPS—Lettermen 3,4; Industrial Arts Club 4. RICHARD POPE—MCC 2,4, president 4; Science Club 3,4; German Club 3,4, secretary 4; Lettermen 4; National Honor Society 4; Key Club 2,4. BARBARA POPOVICH—French Club 2,3. FRANCES POTESAK—FBLA 2,4; Drama Club 2,4; Booster Block 2,3.



MICHAEL PROBST—German Club 3; Intramurals 4. MARCIA PRUCY—FTA 2,4; Spanish Club 2. JAMES RACHAU—Industrial Arts Club 4. POLLY RAMSTAD—MCC 2,4; Science Club 4; German Club 2,4; Band 2,4; National Honor Society 4; Projectionist 4.



# fond memories, mixed emotions to wistful seniors



WILLIAM REDAR—Industrial Arts Club 4, JANICE REED—FBLA 3; FHA 4; Drama Club 2; French Club 3; Thespians 3. KAREN REID—Y-Teens 2; FBLA 4; Drama Club 2.3; Booster Block 3; Chamber Singers 3; Girls' Glee Club 2. MARIA CRISTINA REPETTO—Foreign Exchange Student from Argentina.

WILLIAM REZNY—SHIELD 4, photographer; NEWS BUREAU 3, photographer; Science Club 2.4, vice-president 4; Key Club 3.4; Quill and Scroll 3.4. THOMAS RICHARDS—FBLA 3.4; Lettermen 2.4; Boys' Glee Club 3; Basketball 2; Cross Country 2; Track 2. MARCIA RIETMAN—MCC 2.4; Science Club 4; National Honor Society 3.4. LAURA RINCON—SHIELD 2.4, advertising copy manager 3, photography co-ordinator 4; Drama Club 2.4; Lettergirls 2.4; Thespians 4; Quill and Scroll 3.4; Sweetheart nominee 4.

JOHN RIPLEY—Student Council 2.4, treasurer 2, vice-president 3, president 4; Drama Club 2.4; National Honor Society 3.4; Thespians 3.4, vice-president 4; Prom King nominee; Snow King nominee. MERCEDES RITCHE—CENTAUR 2.4; Drama Club 2.4; German Club 2.4; Band 2.4; National Honor Society 4. PAT ROADEN—FBLA 4; FHA 2; Drama Club 2.4; Cheerleader 3; Booster Block 2.3; GAA 2; Girls' Glee Club. JO ELLYN ROBBINS—CENTAUR 3.4, associate editor 3, editor 4; Booster Block 2.4, vice-president 4; GAA 2.3; National Honor Society 3.4; Quill and Scroll 3.4, president 4; Prom Queen nominee; Sweetheart nominee 4.

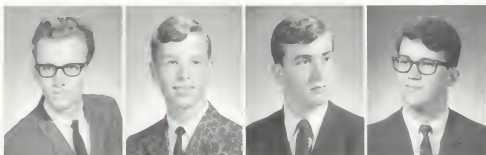
LYNN ROBERTSON—MCC 2.4; Drama Club 3; GAA 3.4; Girls' Glee Club 2.3. PATRICK ROCHE—Lettermen 3.4, Intramurals 3.4; Baseball 2.4; Boys' State alternate. LESLYE RODERICK—FBLA 2.4, president 4; Booster Block 4; GAA 2.4. KAREN RODGERS—FTA 2.4, TROJANAL 2.3, feature editor 3; NEWS BUREAU 4, general manager 4; Spanish Club 2.4, vice-president 3; Quill and Scroll 3.4; Junior Class vice-president.

DENNIS ROEHRICH—ROTC 4, first sergeant. JEANNINE ROLL—FTA 2.4; Drama Club 2.4; French Club 2.3; Booster Block 4. SUZETTE ROMMELFANGER—FBLA 2.4, vice-president 4; Drama Club 2; Booster Block 3.4; GAA 3.4; Choir 3.4; Chamber Singers 4. DEAN ROSS—ROTC 4.

DIANA ROSS—FHA 2.3. MARSHALL ROSS—Industrial Arts Club 4. LESLIE ROWEN—Y-Teens 2; FBLA 3; Trojan Notes 2; Choir 3.4; Chamber Singers 3; Girls' Glee Club 2. GARY RUCH—Choir 3.4; Chamber Singers 3.4; 500 Mile Club 4.

# Cap and gown measurements and senior exams

DAVID SAMPIAS. MARK SAVIN—Drama Club 3,4; ROTC 4; Boys' Glee Club 2; Key Club 4; Industrial Arts Club 4. EDGAR SAWYER—Lettermen 2-4; National Honor Society 3,4; Key Club 2-4. MICHAEL SCHALLER—Science Club 3; 500 Mile Club 3; Industrial Arts Club 4.



ERWIN SCHEERINGA. MARTIN SCHEERINGA—Lettermen 2; Band 2-4. MARVIN SCHEERINGA—ROTC 4; Lettermen 2-4; Choir 3,4; Chamber Singers 3,4; Boys' Glee Club 2; Band 2,3; Wrestling 2-4, captain. RALPH SCHEERINGA—Sign Painters 3; Boys' Glee Club 2,4; Projectionist 4.



WALTER SCHMIDT—FTA 3,4; Drama Club 4; Science Club 2-4; German Club 2-4; Band 2-4; Key Club 4. KENNETH SCHOON—Sign Painters 2; Industrial Arts Club 4. PATRICIA SEREN—FHA 4; Booster Block 2; GAA 2,3; Band 2-4. GLENN SHACKLETT—Lettermen 2-4; 500 Mile Club 3,4; Industrial Arts Club 4; Football 2; Cross Country 3,4; Track 2-4.



MICHAEL SHEETS—TROJANAL 2,3; CENTAUR 3,4; Forensics 3,4; Lettermen 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4. ELIZABETH SHREFFLER—FHA 2; MCC 3,4; Forensics 2,3, secretary-treasurer 3; Band 2,3. JEANETTE SIATTA. JAMES SIETSMA—Student Council 2; Spanish Club 2; Monitor 4.



DAVID SIMPSON—Lettermen 3,4, secretary 4; Choir 3,4; Boys' Glee Club 2; Football 2-4; Wrestling 2,3. PAMELA SIMPSON—Student Council 2; Y-Teens 4; FHA 4; Drama Club 2; GAA 2; Girls' Glee Club 2,4. JANE SKELLY—FHA 2-4, secretary 4; Booster Block 2. JOSEPH SKERTICH—Lettermen 2-4; Baseball 2-4; Intramurals 3,4.



DIANE SLACIAN—FTA 2-4; NEWS BUREAU 3; Spanish Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4. DARYL SLAMKOWSKI—Spanish Club 2; Lettermen 2-4; Key Club 2-4; Golf 2-4. BONNIE SMITH—Y-Teens 2,3; MCC 2,3; Spanish Club 2,3. CAROL SMITH—Spanish Club 2; Librarian 2; Office Aide 3.





# occupy seniors in final hectic week of preparations



CLIFFORD SMITH, DAVID SMITH, KATE SMITH—Y-Teens 3; FBIA 2-4; FHA 2; Drama Club 2-3; Spanish Club 3; Booster Block 3. RITA SMITH—FTA 4; Choir 4; Band 2-4.



ERIC SOCIN—Lettermen 4; Band 2-4; Wrestling 2-4. PATRICIA SOWA—FHA 2-4; Drama Club 4. VICKI SPENCER—FBIA 2-4; Lettergirls 2-4; Booster Block 2-4; Office Aide 3,4. VIOLET SPEROFF—Y-Teens 2,3; FBIA 2-4; Drama Club 2,3; French Club 2,3; Booster Block 3; Office Aide 4.



CINDY SPIEGEL—FTA 2-4; Drama Club 2,4; Spanish Club 2-4, secretary 3; GAA 2-4; Choir 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4. SHARON STANLEY—FTA 3,4; FBIA 2; NEWS BUREAU 3; French Club 2-4. LINDA STEEN—FTA 2,3; CENTAUR 4, business manager; Drama Club 2-4; French Club 2,3; Booster Block 2-4; Thespians 3,4; secretary 4. MELANIE STEVENS—FHA 4; Booster Block 2; Choir 2-4.



SHARON STEVENSON—Y-Teens 3,4; FBIA 3. CHARLES STOCKHAM—Science Club 3,4, treasurer 4; Lettermen 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Senior Class treasurer; 500 Mile Club 4, president. DENNIS STRAPON—FTA 2. BARRY STRATTON—



JOE STUMPF, CAROL SUROVIK—FTA 3,4; FBIA 2; TROJANAL 4; French Club 2-4; Booster Block 3,4. MARLENE SUTTON—Y-Teens 2-4; FHA 3,4; Booster Block 4; GAA 2. JAMES SWALEK—Boys' Glee Club 4; Industrial Arts Club 4.



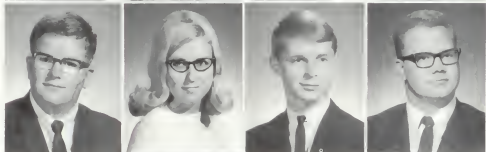
DEBORAH SWARES—Y-Teens 2-4, secretary 3, vice-president 4; FBIA 2; Drama Club 2; Trojan Notes 2; Choir 3,4; Chamber Singers 3,4. SANDRA SWEENEY—Y-Teens 4. LINDA SYVERTSEN—Y-Teens 2,3; FHA 4; Drama Club 2; Girls' Glee Club 2-4. SANDY SYVERTSEN—Y-Teens 2,4; Drama Club 2.

# Opportunities await seniors as they end the years

KATHLEEN TAKACS—FTA 2,3; FBFA 2,3; Drama Club 2,3; French Club 2,3; Booster Block 2,4; JOY TAYLOR—Y-Teens 2,3; Drama Club 2,4; Spanish Club 2,4; Booster Block 2,4; BARBARA TERPSTRA—FBFA 3,4; Lettergirls 3,4; Booster Block 2,4; GAA 2,4; Homecoming Queen nominee; Snow Queen nominee. BEVERLY TERPSTRA—FBFA 3,4, secretary 4; Lettergirls 3,4; National Honor Society 4; Prom Queen nominee; Homecoming Queen nominee.



MARTIN THARP—Boys' Glee Club 2,3. CYNTHIA THOMAS—FBFA 2,3; French Club 2. JOHN THOMPSON—Student Council 4; SHIELD 2,4, sports editor 2, photographer 4; TROJANAL 2; CENTAUR 3; Key Club 2,4; Quill and Scroll 3,4. KENNETH THORLEY—TROJANAL 3; Industrial Arts Club 4.



MARLENE TOMCSI—FHA 2,4; Drama Club 2,4; Booster Block 2,4. JOSEPH TROP-SICH—Spanish Club 2; Intramurals 4. LARRY TRUMAN—Boys' Glee Club 2,4; Intramurals 3,4. KATHY TUDOR—Sign Painters 4; FTA 2,4; FBFA 3; Drama Club 2,4; GAA 2,3.



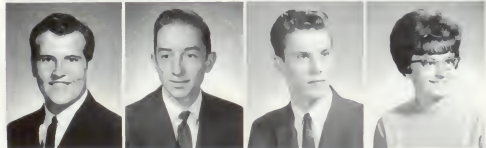
GREGORY TUREAN—Lettermen 3,4; National Honor Society 3,4; Key Club 2,4; Junior Class president; Sophomore Class vice-president; Golf 2,4. FRANCES TURNER—Spanish Club 2,3; Lettergirls 2,4; Booster Block 2,4; Band 2,4, majorette 3,4; Runner-up for Junior Miss Pageant. THOMAS TWAREK—Social Science Club 4; Spanish Club 2. TRUDY TWEE-DALE—FTA 2,3; SHIELD 2; TROJANAL 2; Drama Club 2,3; French Club 2,4; Booster Block 2,4.



KATHLEEN URBAN—FTA 2,4; Drama Club 2,3; Band 2,3. CATHY URYCKI—Y-Teens 2,4; FBFA 2; Drama Club 2; Booster Block 2; Girls' Glee Club 2. TERRY VAJDA—FBFA 2,3; CENTAUR 2,4; Booster Block 2,4; Girls' Glee Club 2. LARRY VALISKA—Social Science Club 3,4, president 4; Spanish Club 2,4; Key Club 2,3.



ROBERT VANZO—Lettermen 3,4. TIMMY VICTOR. RAY WAGNER. CAROL WARGO—FTA 2,4; Science Club 2,4; Spanish Club 2; Booster Block 2.



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GREG WARNECKE—SUSAN WATSON—Sign Painters 4; FTA 4; Drama Club 4; German Club 2.3; GAA 2.3, Band 2. RICHARD WAUGH, PATRICIA WAYNE—FTA 3.4; Spanish Club 3; National Honor Society 3.4.



VICKY WEST—Y-Teens 2-4; FHA 4; Booster Block 3; Choir 4; Girls' Glee Club 2.3. RANDY WESTBAY, KENNETH WHITENER—Spanish Club 2-4; Key Club 2; Projectionist 3. JAMES WIERSMA.



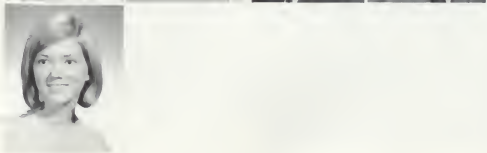
SHARON WILEY—FHA 3.4; Drama Club 2.3; Booster Block 2.3; Girls' Glee Club 4. DELETA WILLIAMS—Y-Teens 2-4, vice-president 3; president 4; Sign Painters 3.4; FHA 2-4; TROJANAL 2-4, business manager 4; Drama Club 2; Quill and Scroll 3.4. RITA WILLIS—Y-Teens 4; FHA 2-4; Drama Club 2.3; French Club 2-4, secretary 4; Booster Block 2-4. LINDA WOTHKE—Y-Teens 4; FBLA 4.



DANA WRIGHT, DEBORAH WYNDER—FBLA 3; MCC 2.3; SHIELD 3; Spanish Club 2-4; Booster Block 2-4; GAA 2-4. LOIS YODER—Y-Teens 2; FHA 2-4, treasurer 4; Drama Club 2.3; Booster Block 2-4. JANICE YOUNGMAN—Y-Teens 3.4; FBLA 4; Drama Club 3; Booster Block 4.



GAIL YUHASZ—Drama Club 2-4, secretary 4; Forensics 4, ICC representative 4; Literary Discussion Club 3.4; National Honor Society 3.4; Thespians 3.4; HIS 2-4. PEGGY ZAGROVICH—Y-Teens 3.4, ICC representative 4; FBLA 3; FHA 4. ANTHONY ZATKULAK—Lettermen 3.4; Senior Class vice-president 4; 500 Mile Club 3.4, vice-president 3.4; Track 3.4; Cross Country 3.4; Boys' State Delegate. PAUL ZIEMNIAK—Industrial Arts Club 4.



CHERYL ZIMMERMAN—Y-Teens 4; FHA 4; TROJANAL 2; French Club 2.

CAMERA SHY—GENE BARNES—Choir 3.4; Chamber Singers 3.4. MRS. HELEN GENISAUSKI, EDWARD KLEMENZIEWICZ, GREGORY MILLION, ROBERT NEILSON, ELAINE NEWTON—FHA 4. ERWIN SHAPIRO—Drama Club 4; Social Science Club 4; Science Club 2-4; Lettermen 2-4. DAN TOTH—German Club 2.3; Boys' Glee Club 2-4; Projectionist 4.



*Pam Drapeau, Jim Chadwick, Bev Terpstra, Mike Gall, Barb Terpstra, Bill Prange, Tony Paglis, Lorrie Martin, Linda Paredes, Tom Lengyl, Shari Decker, Gorley MacKenzie, Pat Corten and Bill Allen composed the Homecoming royalty after Lorrie Martin became the 1967 Homecoming Queen, highlighting the halftime festivities.*



## Seniors take part in activities with spirited hearts

Seniors, graduation—already! Tears little sniffles to watery eyes, to heartening sobs characterized the Class of 1968 as they hesitantly marched down the aisle grasping their ticket to the future—a diploma.

Assembling together for the last time as a class, time became the main subject. Where did it go? Memories settled deep in the mind were uprooted by the sentiment of leaving everything behind them.

Remembering that first day with the greenness showing through, sophomores shyly asked for directions from upperclassmen. But as the year progressed under the leadership of Pam Drapeau, president; Greg Turean, vice-president; Rosemary Locasto, secretary; and Sally Bennett, treasurer projects were organized, and orange and white were selected for class colors. Sheer spirit was mirrored in their first float entitled "Wash 'Im Up," reflecting hours of hard work.

*Highland's Junior Miss, Pam Drapeau, displays her singing talent at the local Junior Miss Pageant, sponsored by the Highland Jaycees, before entering state competition.*



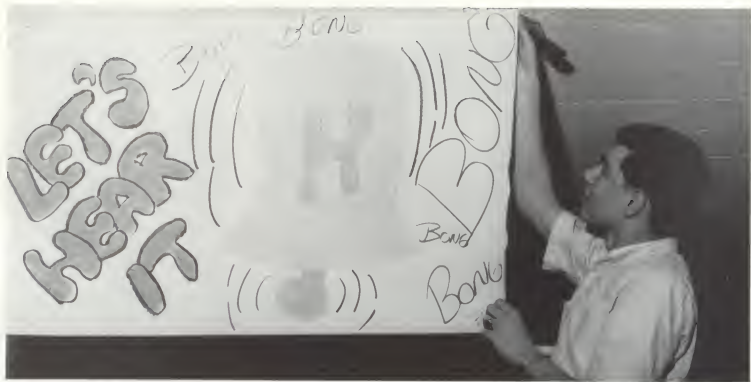


*After being announced the top students of the senior class, salutatorian, Greg Turean, and Co-Valedictorians Brian Benda and Jean Diekman discuss graduation plans with Mr. Robert Day, principal. Both Brian and Jean maintained an 'A' average throughout high school.*

*Jean Diekman was selected to receive the DAR good citizen award. As a recipient of the award, Jean was chosen according to her dependability, service, leadership, and an interest in the community by her teachers and fellow classmates.*



*Mr. Football nominees, Dave Simpson, Jim Ceaser, Larry Mays, Dean Carrico, Mike Cable, and Vic Foshion were named for their fine performances on the gridiron. Thoughts of Highland's ringing Victory Bell urged these players on to victory.*



Andy Menzyk shows the spirit that backed the Trojans in their athletic endeavors. Signs such as this were hung all over the school during spirit week, preceding the sectional tournament in which the Trojans upended the Morton Governors.

Mr. Basketball nominees, Ron Ispas, Randy Benesh, Dean Carrico and Larry Mays were chosen for their abilities in the sport of basketball, and the students selected Dean.



Daryl Slankowski joins his classmates at the senior class party, while they dance and have fun together for the last time.



# Seniors carry on class traditions, add new ones

Flaunting their class rings, a symbol of their rising authority, members of the Class of '68 felt the exhilarating sensation of being an upperclassman—a junior. Officers Greg Turean, president; Karen Rodgers, vice-president; Sally Bennett, secretary; and Bonnie Bard, treasurer aided in the organizing of money-making projects. Breaking tradition, the juniors won first place honors with their Homecoming entry "Sink 'Em". Prom, beginning to end, gave juniors one main obsession. Achieving their final goal, a "Wonderland Fantasy" was created, and Tony Paglis and Anita Bodley began their reign as Prom King and Queen.

Leading the class of '68 were Tony Zatkulak, president; Anita Bodley, vice-president; Chuck Stockham, treasurer; and Karen Black, secretary as they built their last float, "We'll Swallow Anything But De-feet" and Lorrie Martin reigned as Homecoming Queen. All too soon, the twelve year journey reached its climax as diplomas were placed in outstretched hands and the future was left up to their own judgements.



*Jean Diekman, Chuck Stockham, Sally Bennett, Rick Espitia, June Beacom, Paul Mazalan, Pat Corten, John Ripley, Barb Terpstra, and Jim Ceaser were nominated for Snow King and Queen.*



*Reflected in the school gift from the Class of '67, seniors discuss ideas for the gift their class will leave.*

*The Blue and white senior beanie worn by Bonnie Bard symbolizes youthful distinction of an upperclassman.*



## Highland Ford Motors features better ideas for '68



*Even royalty like Prom King and Queen Tony Paglis and Anita Bodley admire the simplicity and elegance of the new 1968 Fords. Sleek lines and the new styling of the L. T. D. will attract the attention of anyone who sees this elegant car from Ford on the road or in the show room of Highland Ford Motors.*

Now, in '68, there are better ideas from Ford! Forty-eight new cars, all with Ford's Better Idea features, are waiting for you!

There's new thunder from the bird! More power and a fabulous array of options are available to people who can't wait to escape the ordinary! Flight Bench Seats are just one of the added features to the Bird, which means six people can fly in total comfort. Don't wait. Fly Thunderbird!

Sleeker, "flowing lines" plus four inches of additional length supply extra comfort and style to the Ford

Fairlane. Ford also offers a luxury version, the Torino.

"For the now crowd," Ford's Mustang leads the pack. This Ford featured sports car is now better equipped than ever before.

Ford's Futura model L.T.D. now offers such optional equipment as a 300 cubic-inch V-8 engine, the largest ever offered in a L.T.D.

To view the new Fords with their better ideas, see your car dealer at Highland Ford Motors, 9809 Indianapolis Boulevard, Highland, Indiana, and be ahead in a Ford for '68, the one with the 'Better Ideas.'



# Security Federal employees give expert financial aid and assistance

When you find yourself a little short of money for that long-awaited vacation trip, that new house, car or boat, an educational fee, or any personal need, *Security Federal Savings and Loan Association* is there for your convenience. Loans may be easily acquired through the courtesy of Security Federal whose help makes that financial strain on your budget a little smoother.

Not everyone can have his own personal banking establishment, but through Security Federal this trust and service is brought to you. Security

Federal specializes in the satisfaction of all their customers.

Ready and willing, the friendly employees of Security Federal are waiting to help you with all your financial burdens. Their expert counseling and advice will lead you to better understanding and much more pleasurable banking experiences.

So whatever your banking needs, make your first stop at *Security Federal Savings and Loan Association*, 2839 Highway Avenue, Highland, Indiana. There you will find the qualities of efficient and courteous aid.

*Prisoners? . . . no, Ron Ispas, Barb and Bev Terpsira, and Mike Gall are merely testing the security of the vaults which protect your savings when deposited at Security Federal.*

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## For snack or meal, Johnsen's Blue Top pleases all



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As you enjoy the best in foods, either inside the restaurant, or out in your car, you'll notice the many different age groups that enjoy Blue Top's friendly service. They range from teens just returning from a game, to large families of five or six, including Grandma and Grandpa, enjoying the variety of quality foods.

Located at 8801 Indianapolis Boulevard, Highland, Indiana, Blue Top is the perfect place for all.

*The cheerful smiles of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnsen, owners, show the friendliness found at Blue Top drive-in restaurant.*

*Have a sudden thirst or hunger? Stop at Blue Top and expect the best in food and service.*



## The First Bank of Whiting shows concern for many individual needs

Interested in forgetting your worries? Forget them all and place your trust and money in the hands of *The First Bank of Whiting*.

Their dependability, convenience, friendliness and willingness to handle all monetary matters will ease your mind, as well as satisfy your needs.

High interest rates on saving accounts and surprisingly low rates on checking accounts are extra dividends in the long list of services offered to the customers of *The First Bank of Whiting*.

Dealing with the bank's employees is a pleasure, as well as a help. They

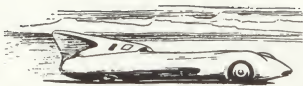
are always willing to assist you with any questions or problems you may have on loans, deposits, or personal needs.

For your convenience, *The First Bank of Whiting*, 1500 119th in Whiting, Indiana, has a Highland Branch at Route 41 and 45th Avenue. Banking hours are daily from 9 to 3 and Thursday from 9 to 8.

Why not stop in soon and meet the friendly folks at *The First Bank of Whiting*? If it's a banking need you have, you'll be glad to receive the advice of proficient employees who are always ready to assist.

*Even misers like Gail Yuhasz and Margaret Beretz will place their trust in The First Bank of Whiting. Displaying the courtesy and dependability needed to make a fine bank. President Arvo Anttila and his staff are always willing and able to assist you in financial matters.*





*There is only one way to create high speed performance. That is the right way, the safe way. Whether it be engine assembling, magnaflux and zyglia treatment of parts, or fabrication of running gear components, Ray Nichels and Associates have the facilities and know-how to turn out that extra quality on all types of competition equipment.*

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Murderers! But who can blame Rosemary Locasto and Tom Arner for being so impatient when the beef they're about to cut is the quality meat from *Schoon's Super Market*. Purchase the finest in foods at Schoon's.

## **A. P. Davis Sports**

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East Chicago, Indiana

"Perfect fit! exclaim Kathy Kovach and Inky Bandenicks as Chris Perusic unbelievably demonstrates one of the many selections of sportswear at *A. P. Davis* where sports equipment can also be obtained.





# Twin City provides area with furnishings for every home

Furnishing a home or apartment? For results you can be proud of, visit *Twin City Furniture*, known also as the Calumet Area's Style-Crest furniture store.

Leading national brands of furniture, complete in style, comfort, and beauty, can enhance the room of your choice. An extra service of free home decorating is also available at *Twin City Furniture*.

Serving the Calumet Region Homemakers for over 37 years, *Twin City* has become a part of many homes throughout the area. Why not let it become a part of yours?

*Twin City Furniture* is ideally located at 3722 Main Street, in East Chicago, Indiana, for all Calumet area shoppers.

For your convenience, *Twin City Furniture* is opened daily from 9-5:30 and till 9:00 on Mondays and Thursdays.

*It's time out for tea, as Jim Harper, Bill Phillips, and Daryl Slankowski enjoy the luxury of dining on Twin City's beautifully styled furniture, the finest in quality.*



## Highland Cab extends prompt, reliable service

"Sit back and relax and leave the driving to us." Who? Why the *Highland Cab Company*, of course!

Dependable, courteous service is extended to all who may desire the convenient transportation of Highland Cab. Experienced, capable drivers will make your trip, long or short, an enjoyable, relaxing ride.

*Highland Cab Company* specializes in serving customers expertly and inexpensively. Whether your need for transportation is a necessity or just for enjoyment, the employees of Highland Cab are always reliable.

Always prompt, *Highland Cab Company* headquarters are located at 10040 Kennedy Avenue, in Highland, Indiana. For service by phone, dial TEmple 8-7000 for reliable cab service.



*Prompt, friendly service is enjoyed by Andrea Pepler as she experiences the conveniences of Highland Cab. Transportation in a courteous, dependable way, is guaranteed to all who may desire the aid of Highland Cab. Relaxation en route to any location is a quality of Highland Cab.*



*The quality of expert workmanship is evident in the modern architectural construction which enhances the appearance of Danrick Apartments located in Griffith.*

## Paul Toth builds dream homes

It is said that a man's home is his castle. With *Paul Toth Builders* it can often look like one, too.

These expert builders have constructed homes, garages, and apartment buildings guaranteed to suit everyone's individual housing taste.

Designing your own dream home may be fun, but living in it is even more enjoyable. The builders of Paul Toth can make this possible. Profi-

cient architects will follow your plans down to the last detail, making the home of your dreams a reality.

Exquisite in style, the newly constructed "Danrick" Apartments, located in Griffith, Indiana, offer luxurious living and comfort to all.

The expert builders of Paul Toth may be contacted at 3015 Garfield Street, in Highland, Indiana, or by simply calling TEmple 8-2347.

## Changes benefit Pleasant View's dairy production

Modernization has given *Pleasant View Dairy* a new look, not only in appearance, but also in production techniques. By keeping pace with the times, they are able to keep up with Highland's growing demand for milk.

Pleasant View's grade-A milk and fresh dairy products can be delivered right to your doorstep by early morning milkmen. For speedy delivery and services call TEmple 8-0155.

To give their customers the opportunity to view the production techniques used daily in making milk, Pleasant View has organized guided tours for your convenience, which are conducted in the processing building.

Rely on the people at *Pleasant View Dairy*, 2625 Highway Avenue, Highland, Indiana, for all dairy needs.

*"What's happening?" shouts Ruth Ogden to Lynn Downing, Karen Neyhart, and Jean Diekman. These inquisitive seniors find it hard to believe that milk doesn't really come from a cow after all. The girls are quick to learn that the equipment at Pleasant View Dairy merely purifies the dairy products.*



## Ken Ridge Drugs supplies variety of everyday needs



Surrounded by the most modern of facilities, Bev Hoekema and Cindy Thomas are shown the fine quality products supplied by Ken Ridge Drugs.

Where can prescriptions be filled, stationery be bought, all cosmetics and personal necessities be obtained, and the best in reading be found? Where else but *Ken Ridge Drugs*, where your needs are always satisfied.

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## Burger's offers Fresh products

When shopping for the tastiest in meats, vegetables, produce or dairy products, shop at *Burger's*.

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"*Burger's* products are not to be laughed at," exclaims Tony Zatkulak to Jean Miller. *Burger's* always brings buyers top quality products.



## For convenience, shop at Highland Department Store



Decisions, decisions, decisions! Everyday you are faced with old, as well as new problems, many quite difficult to solve. Now you can end one of your troubles, that of selecting your wardrobe, by shopping at the *Highland Department Store*.

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*Although she is not a live model like Laura Rincon, this mannequin displays an example of the many fashionable outfits.*



*John Thompson finds it difficult to choose the right style for him from the display of the latest shoes at the Highland Department Store.*

*"The green ones or the brown?" wonders Dan Hurley as he tries to decide on a pair of pants from the large selection of colors and styles.*





## Swing into things with cool, lively tasting Pepsi



By the time graduation comes around, all seniors should be smart enough to know that Pepsi-Cola is the refreshing drink for all. Betty Cote, Barb Elkins, Sherri Kress, Bonnie Bard, Ellen Nemeth, Sue Kwolek, Peg Heim, and Sue Parker are all happy to toast their graduation with a bottle of Pepsi.

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## Tom Blaskovich provides moods in '68 line-up of cars

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"I really don't see anything stuck!" exclaims Frank Martinez to Pat Hall as Frank exemplifies the efficiency of workmanship by *Moffett Plumbing & Heating* employees. For fast results, contact the experienced employees of *Moffett Plumbing & Heating*.

## Globe Printing Co.

609 W. Chicago Avenue

East Chicago, Indiana



"Oh no, we didn't! Not another mistake!" cry Kathy Chiabai, Sue Bishop, and Sue Baade, editors of the *Trojanal*. With the helpful skills of *Globe Printers*, they find that printing the paper isn't so bad after all.

## Edward C. Minas Company

Downtown Hammond and  
River Oaks Shopping Center



"Santa, we don't care what you bring us for Christmas just as long as it's from Edward C. Minas," exclaim Sally Bennett and Cindy Germek. You can expect to find the perfect gift for any occasion at Edward C. Minas.

## Guardian Electronics

9636 Forrest Drive  
Highland, Indiana

"Now, let's see," ponders Bill Rezy as he and Walt Schmidt try to determine the purpose of some electrical gadgets. With the help of Guardian Electronics, all electrical problems puzzling you can be solved.



## Suroviak Floor Covering

9331 O'Day  
Highland, Indiana



"Just a little more and that should do it," judge Carol Suroviak and Sharon Stanley as they practice their talents in floor covering. For professional skill as well as results depend on Suroviak Floor Covering.

## Lichtsinn Motors Inc.

2010 167th Street  
Hammond, Indiana

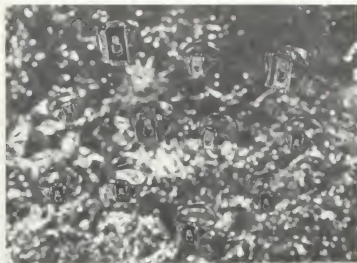
"Make room!" orders Kevin Mac-kowiak as he proudly peers from atop his brand new Volkswagen. The comfort, joy, and satisfaction of owning a Volkswagen can be enjoyed by you too, at Lichtsinn Motors.





## Herff-Jones

601 East Lincoln Street  
Kentland, Indiana



A proud display of class rings is presented by the classes of '68 and '69. Filled with high school memories, its their most prized possessions. For a gift which you can cherish for a lifetime too, visit Herff Jones.

## Dan Dee Discount Center

3305 45th Street  
Highland, Indiana



"En Garde!", shout Sherri Fleming and Sue Longland, battling it out with Ban spray. Meanwhile Linda Milich takes the easy way out with a bottle of Scope. For everyday products as these, Dan Dee is the place.

## Parkmor Drive Inn

3950 Ridge Road  
Highland, Indiana

Are you ever faced with the problem of where to go for a quick snack? Let Parkmor solve this problem for you. Their delicious hamburgers, fries, and tasty shakes, will convince you Parkmor is the only place to go.



## Teibel's Restaurant

Route 41  
Schereville, Indiana

When looking for the perfect place to dine, an attractive interior and exterior are very important. Teibel's, with its excellent service as well as atmosphere, provides both, making it the ideal family restaurant.



## Zandstra's Sportswear for Men

2629 Highway Avenue  
Highland, Indiana



"Will I ever find a girl this shoe fits?" wonders Mike Cable as he plays the role of Prince Charming testing the shoe on Roslyn Peterson. You may not find the perfect fit for Cinderella at *Zandstra's*, but it's the perfect store for men.



**chuck wheeler**  
*Restaurants*



A bucket of Kentucky-fried chicken is enough to make anyone light up with a smile, prove Denise Hadarich and Cheryl Kula. Tasty any time of day, come on in and visit *Chuck Wheeler* for a Kentucky fried treat.

## Bocken Funeral Home

7042 Kennedy Avenue  
Hammond, Indiana

The passing away of someone dear to us is a lonely, unfortunate experience. Let *Bocken Funeral Home* arrange funeral plans with a warmth and understanding appreciated by all. Their sincerity will help ease the pain of a sad, unforgettable memory.



## Calumet Hardware

8630 Kennedy Avenue  
Highland, Indiana

"The good ole' days just ain't what they used to be!", state a convinced Tom McDonald and Herschel Morris, as they experience a chore of long, long ago. Depend on *Calumet Hardware* to make things easier for you.



## Walz Cycle Shop

623 State Street  
Hammond, Indiana



Meanwhile back at *Walz Cycle Shop*, Pat Seren, winner and still champion, proudly poses for her victory, as Fran Turner discovers tri-cycles just don't go! You can find a winning bike for yourself at *Walz Cycle Shop*.

## Morris Music Mart

3601 Ridge Road  
Lansing, Indiana



With equipment from *Morris Music Mart*, who needs practice? Certainly not Rick Guidotti, Keith Lane, Dave Sampias, or Rick Hansen. Let *Morris Music Mart* provide you with the finest in musical instruments.

## Strack & Van Til

9632 Cline Avenue  
Highland, Indiana

Friendliness is our trademark . . . that's why so many people shop *Strack & Van Til*. Besides getting everyday low prices and the finest quality brands you can also pay all your utility bills here too! Find out why so many smart homemakers choose *Strack & Van Til*—stop in today.



## Marshall's

3532 Village  
Gary, Indiana

Modeling the latest in swimwear is Debi Wynder. Any time of year, *Marshall's* offers a complete selection of clothing in the finest colors and styles. Shop *Marshall's* for the newest, brightest look of the season.



## Ben Franklin's offers a variety in everyday supplies



"Susie, no, I won't buy that coloring book for you and put those suckers down!" Temptations leading from grabbing a handful of candy to staring in amazement at the turtles are satisfied at *Ben Franklin's*.

Whether looking for a sympathy card or buying a can of paint, this is the place to go for the finest in quality. Friendly clerks and helpful cashiers are always on hand to assist customers.

Almost any time of the day, *Ben Franklin's* is the scene of excited children and browsing parents looking for their children. Others visit to see the improvements made after having completed the remodeling.

*Ben Franklin's* at 2829 Highway Avenue in Highland, Indiana, is open and ready to fill the needs and wants of everyone in the community.

*Enjoying the toy department of Ben Franklin's are Charlene Bretzius and Elke Huisman. You'll always enjoy shopping at Ben Franklin's.*

## Calumet Press

2939 Jewett Street  
Highland, Indiana



Tampering with the press, Jim Bindas and Betty Cote resolve to making a few changes around the place, but are shocked to find that the *Calumet Press* needs no improvements. For the facts, read the *Calumet Press*.

## Logan's Tuxedo

5315 Hohman  
Hammond, Indiana

It's not hard to see that Jackie Bergin approves of John Irish in his handsome tuxedo from Logan's. For that special occasion, choose from a wide assortment of colors, styles, and sizes at *Logan's Tuxedo*.





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Indiana

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Highland, Indiana



"Anyone for a tasty hot dog or an ice cold pepsi?", offer Elaine Ripley and Daryl Slamkowski. Satisfaction is guaranteed at the *Highland Custard Shop* in everything from pizza to peanuts. Visit us today!

## Plaza Lanes

8101 Kennedy Ave.  
Highland, Indiana

"We'll be sure to get them down this way," insist Karen Kornmann, Nancy Gordon and Kathy Takacs. No matter what your technique, *Plaza Lanes* is the place to go for an afternoon of fun and excitement.



## Dog-N-Suds

8032 Kennedy Ave.  
Highland, Indiana

What do you do on a hot summer's day when you need something refreshing? Why, you go to *Dog 'n Suds*, of course! After a large root beer or a coney dog you'll be glad you did. Treat yourself at *Dog 'n Suds*.



## The New Eleanore's

2841 Highway Avenue  
Highland, Indiana

It's a difficult decision for Janice Olszewski as she contemplates another purchase offered by Pam Drapeau at the *New Eleanore's*. Once you begin shopping at the *New Eleanore's* you won't be able to stop. Start now!



## Sealtest

4808 Hohman Ave.  
Hammond, Indiana

"M-m-m," hum Cindy Spiegel and Judy Boersma as they enjoy another new treat from *Sealtest*. The large variety of flavors and tastes make *Sealtest* a number one choice. Try it—it'll become your favorite too!



## Boyd Realty

2643 Highway Ave.  
Highland, Indiana



"Going, going, gone—and Mr. Day's house is sold!" announce Vickie and Vaughn Heimberger. One, two, three, and it's as easy as that with Boyd Realty and Insurance. Want satisfying results? Rely on *Boyd Realty*.

## Country Motors

9100 Indianapolis  
Highland, Indiana



Look around, test them out, and then choose from a number of brand new cars at *Country Motors*. Style, comfort and beauty are all a part of the *Country Motor* cars. Check with *Country Motors* for your next car.

## McDonald's Hamburgers

3927 Ridge Road  
Highland, Indiana

7443 Indianapolis  
Hammond, Indiana



"Oh no you don't," cries Larry Olson as Ken Thorley begs for just one crisp fry from *McDonald's*. But who can blame him when *McDonald's* treats are so tempting? The next time you're longing for a snack, satisfy your appetite at *McDonald's* Hamburgers.

## Dupes & Kinney Inc.

Real Estate and Insurance  
2825 Jewett Street  
Highland, Indiana



Learning the many aspects of real estate and insurance from *Dupes & Kinney*, experts in the field, are Andy Menzyk, Greg Turcan, Aug Moore, and Bruce Peterson. Do business with the best—deal with *Dupes & Kinney*.

## Lamprecht's

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Highland, Indiana

"For you," says Randy Benesh to Pat Corten as he hands her a beautiful rose from *Lamprecht's*. Any situation can become romantic when *Lamprecht's* flowers are given. *Lamprecht's Florists* specialize in the finest in corsages and bouquets.



## John's Citgo Service

2350 Ridge Road  
Highland, Indiana

"Wee . . . this is fun!" exclaims Tom Krawczykowski to Polly Ramstad as he hangs like a monkey from John's Citgo equipment. *John's Citgo Service* offers the finest in automobile service from a complete tune-up to a gas refill.



## Cunningham Realtor

1739 RIDGE ROAD  
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H. G. "Pat" CUNNINGHAM



Avon calling? No! It's just Marcia Prucy and Janet Golec interested in finding out more about one of the many homes *Cunningham Realty* has to offer. Looking for a new residence? Check with *Cunningham Realty*.

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You scream, I scream, we all scream for *Dairy Rich Ice Cream*! Its satisfying and tasty flavor will end that hunger urge for something cold and delectable. Try it—you'll be screaming for *Dairy Rich Ice Cream*!



## Zandstra's Fruit Market

2615 Highway Avenue  
Highland, Indiana



"Apples, flowers, fruits, anyone?" offer Elke Huisman and Roberta Kingston. They're all from the many fine products that can be found at *Zandstra's Fruit Market*. For fresh foods, shop at *Zandstra's*.

## Melody Motors

S.E. 6450 Kennedy  
Hammond, Indiana

Inspired by Bonnie and Clyde, Tom Howlett masterfully corners Bill Otto in a robbery attempt at *Melody Motors*. A temptation to anyone, stop in at *Melody Motors* where the "sharpest cars in town" can be found!





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No, they're not men from outer space! They're Diane Slacian and an employee experimenting with some equipment from *Calumet Machine & Welding*. Call on *Calumet Machine & Welding* when in need of skillful help.



## **Jack Fox & Sons**

5219 Hohman  
Hammond, Indiana

It seems as if Jim Chadwick has made the right decision according to Sherri Decker. Deciding is the only problem involved at *Jack Fox & Sons*. For a large selection in styles and sizes, shop at *Jack Fox & Sons*.



## Mercantile National Bank

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7227 Calumet Avenue

Woodmar Office  
7250 Indianapolis Blvd.

Griffith Office  
200 West Ridge Road

Munster Office  
909 Ridge Road

## Nichels & Goldsmith Safety Center, Inc.

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Highland, Indiana

"Yes sir!", replies John Ripley as Doug Juhasz gives the order to find out why *Nichels & Goldsmith Safety Center* has all the answers. Pull up to Nichels & Goldsmith for problems concerning your car.



## Hobbs Insurance

6814 Indianapolis Blvd.  
Hammond, Indiana



Carefully deciding which policy is best from the several available, Janet Klein listens attentively to the many benefits of *Hobbs Insurance*. Why don't you stop in and get all the facts from *Hobbs Insurance* today!

## Twilite Skating Club

135 W. Main  
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And once again roller skating proves to be the favorite pastime of all age groups! Alone, or with a group, enjoy yourself at *Twilite Skating Club*—the perfect place for this popular activity and a good time!

## Bob Ellingsen Real Estate and Insurance

8316 Kennedy Avenue  
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Highland is a good place to live, discover Judy Carlson and Peggy Zagrovich, especially if you live in a home from *Bob Ellingsen Real Estate & Insurance*. Contact Bob Ellingsen for that perfect home for you too!



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Practicing on her first customer, Trudy Tweedale skillfully sets Richard Pope's hair. For professional styling and hair treatments before that next special event, make your appointment at *Beaute Craft* now!



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"It's a deal!" bargain Mike Schaller and Mike Sheets as they complete the business transaction of buying Highland High School. Get the biggest and best bargain of your life—deal with *Betty Springer, Realtor*.

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Wall-to-wall people, cries of "where's my yearbook," and ink covered blue jeans—all symbols of one of the last social events of the school year, the Shield Autograph Dance. With the signing of yearbooks comes the memories of enthusiastic participation, hilarious antics and even the few disappointing moments experienced by everyone's high school career.

For underclassmen this "time for remembering" may be a new experience, one they will probably enjoy again. But for the seniors, this is another last in their final year of high school life.

The Class of '68 this year has been replete with lasts—the last homecoming, the last basketball game, the last prom. But as these traditions were realized as "last ones" for the graduating class, they were also realized as "first ones" for the sopho-

mores starting high school careers.

Although these experiences mean so much to us now, eventually we might forget who the 1967 Homecoming Queen was or whether or not we won our first sectional game. This is the purpose of the 1968 Shield, to keep memories close at hand.

To the people who involved themselves and worked so diligently to make this yearbook possible I would like to express my sincere appreciation. Thanks for putting forth that extra effort to keep things rolling even when the going was rough.

The staff and I hope that two, or even twenty years from now when you try to remember who the star in the play was or how many games the football team won, you will look back to the Shield. And as you look back you will again involve yourself in the traditions that create Highland High.

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